

WEATHER:
Fair tonight and Thurs-
day; rising temper-
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LENROOT LETTER COOKED UP DEAL

ESCH MEN SEE THROUGH THE
SCHEME FOR IKE.

SAY HE CANNOT WIN AT THAT

Can Muster 35 Votes, and When
Cooper Tries Trick Esch Expects
to Profit by His Votes.

(By F. L. Holmes.)
MADISON, Wis., May 8.—Supporters of Lenroot went today for Duncan McGregor, Isaac Stephenson and Frear. There will be big changes in the caucus tonight. The vote today stood: Cooper, 18; Esch, 21; Hatten, 16; McGregor, 5; Stephenson, 26; Winkler, 4; Baensch, 4; Bird, 16; Frear, 2; Thompson, 1; Rummell, 5; Hudnall, 3; J. H. Stout, 2.

Senators Brown, Stoddard, Assemblymen Keup and Keyes left Lenroot for Stephenson. Senator Owen and Assemblyman Kay changed to Secretary of State James A. Frear. Assemblymen Berg, Durely, Kimball, Nye and Eckern went to Duncan McGregor of Platteville. Clausen, Grassie and Kubasta went to Senator George B. Hudnall. Roycraft and George E. Scott voted for Senator Stout. Senator Hazelwood, democrat, changed to Cooper as did McKosie, who has been for Lenroot before.

Esch received a large vote today, all of his supporters being present.

It is believed he will gain two from Lenroot's old forces in the caucus tonight.

Esch will not profit by Lenroot's withdrawal, the fact that Eckern went to Duncan McGregor, indicating a subrosa Stephenson-Lenroot deal in which the direct henchmen of La Follette will finally go to Stephenson under cover of the McGregor move.

The Esch people are not surprised and estimate that Stephenson finally has got a maximum of 35 votes, but can't be elected. Cooper is expected to follow Lenroot's example, but his votes will probably go to Esch and Hatten, who will be in the finish fight.

Lenroot's letter is felt to have been a cut and dried affair intended for publication some time ago. The only surprise to the Esch people is the conduct of Eckern, whose position has not been definitely learned.

Lenroot's Withdrawal.
MADISON, Wis., May 8.—(Special.)—The republican caucus last night was marked by the withdrawal of Irvine L. Lenroot of Superior, one of the five leading candidates. Despite the fact of his getting out of the race his followers refused to desert him until they had held a meeting to discuss the matter. The announcement was entirely unexpected and when presented by Assemblyman Durely of Superior, came as a thunderclap of surprise. The two men who deserted him after the letter was read were Senator Hudnall who voted for former Senator Hatten, and J. P. Peterson who went to Isaac Stephenson.

Mr. Lenroot's letter to the legislature is as follows:
To the Republican Legislative Caucus:
Gentlemen—

The outcome of the present senatorial contest is of vital importance to the state of Wisconsin and the country at large.

The public good should be the first consideration. For it is the duty of every individual to give way, and if need be sacrifice personal ambition.

A prolonging of this contest, greatly interfering with important legislation and may endanger the selection of any man who can, or will, assist President Roosevelt and Senator La Follette in the great contest for representative government now going on in this country.

During my political career I have fought consistently and earnestly for the principles of our party in this state. I have no right now to place personal ambition higher than the success of those principles.

In the present deadlock it is plain that some candidate must give way. Some one must take the initiative. Therefore in the hope that my action may aid in bringing about the selection of some man who will creditably represent the progressive movement in our state and nation I request my friends to no longer consider my name as a candidate, and use their best judgment in selecting some other man.

In taking this course I have made no combination or agreement with any other candidate, nor has any been made in my behalf, and I have not sought, and will not seek to influence the action of my friends other than to urge them to do what they believe will be for the best interests of the state.

I will say further that this action is taken without the knowledge of any other candidates or their supporters, nor have I been influenced by the desires of any of them, or from any other source in that behalf.

I cannot sufficiently express my gratitude to my friends for the warm, earnest and loyal support that they have given me and sincerely hope that a selection may be made that will be a credit to the republican party.

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PEOPLE SWARM TO SEE FRISCO RIOT

WARNINGS ARE DISREGARDED
BY SPECTATORS

FOUR KILLED AND MANY HURT

In Running Battle Between Strike
Breakers and Street Car Men
Yesterday Afternoon

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 8.—All troops are ready to rush to San Francisco on a few minutes' notice. The governor thinks it will be unnecessary to send them, but he says if he does send the soldiers there will be a cessation of hostilities within fifteen minutes, or somebody will get hurt.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 8.—Disregarding Schmitz's proclamation and the labor council's appeal to the people to refrain from gathering in the vicinity of the car barns, they are undeterred by the determination of strike breakers to kill and a great crowd was about the sheds this morning. The police, afoot and in automobiles, were armed with riot guns. The men inside the barns were prepared to run cars as soon as they ate breakfast. Arms and ammunition were given the crews detailed to run the cars.

Troops throughout the state are held under arms in readiness to move.

Four are dead and seventeen injured, some probably fatally, as the result of rioting yesterday afternoon, following the attempt of the United Railroads to start street cars with armed strike breakers.

The Dead
JAMES WALSH, aged 19, a teamster; shot through head and jugular vein.

ALBERT C. PALM, aged 25, chauffeur; shot through jugular vein and chin.

NATHAN LEISER, aged 10, messenger; shot in abdomen and neck.

JOHN BUCHANAN, car repairer, aged 21; shot through abdomen.

The Injured
D. Joy, driver; shot in left cheek.

S. Kroker, tailor; shot over left lung.

Harry Quinn, aged 13; shot in right leg.

Harry Sauer, aged 38, policeman; shot through shoulder.

George A. McNaughton, chauffeur; shot through scalp.

Edward Crimmins; shot through left leg.

Richard G. Bell, detective sergeant; shot through left thigh.

William Bellin, laborer; shot through left thigh.

C. W. Forester, cigarmaker; shot through left knee.

John Martin, roofer; shot through left leg.

Joseph Arena, striking conductor; shot through left knee.

Nicholas Granville, cook; struck by brick on head.

Charles Murphy, aged 25; shot through left side.

T. H. Bragg, inspector for railroad; injured on head by stones.

Mounted Policeman J. M. Mann; injured in head by stone.

Policeman F. Beam; head cut by stones.

Many others were more or less injured by stones, clubs and bricks.

Running Battle Fought
Most of the dead and injured were shot in a running battle around two cars that ran down Turk street from the Fillmore street barns about 3 o'clock.

The first attempt made by the company to start cars was made about 11 o'clock. Several thousand people were gathered about the barn at Fillmore and Turk streets when, a few minutes after 11 o'clock, the door to the barricade opened and a large provision car rolled out.

Before it had gone half a block it had been hindered by large trucks and wagons, delayed by the surging mob and assailed with a shower of missiles.

Progress was impossible, and after one of the men on the car had had his chin laid open with a brick, the car was run back into the barn. The attempt to move cars was resumed again shortly after 3 o'clock.

Six cars were run out, each with eight armed strike-breakers aboard. A mob of 3,000 people jammed the streets around the barn and the appearance of the cars was the signal for hostilities to begin.

Strike Breakers Fire
A shower of bricks was hurled at the strike-breakers on the cars and with the first volley of bricks the strike-breakers opened fire with their revolvers. Meanwhile the cars turned into Turk street and started down Market, one after the other, the crowd in pursuit and increasing in numbers.

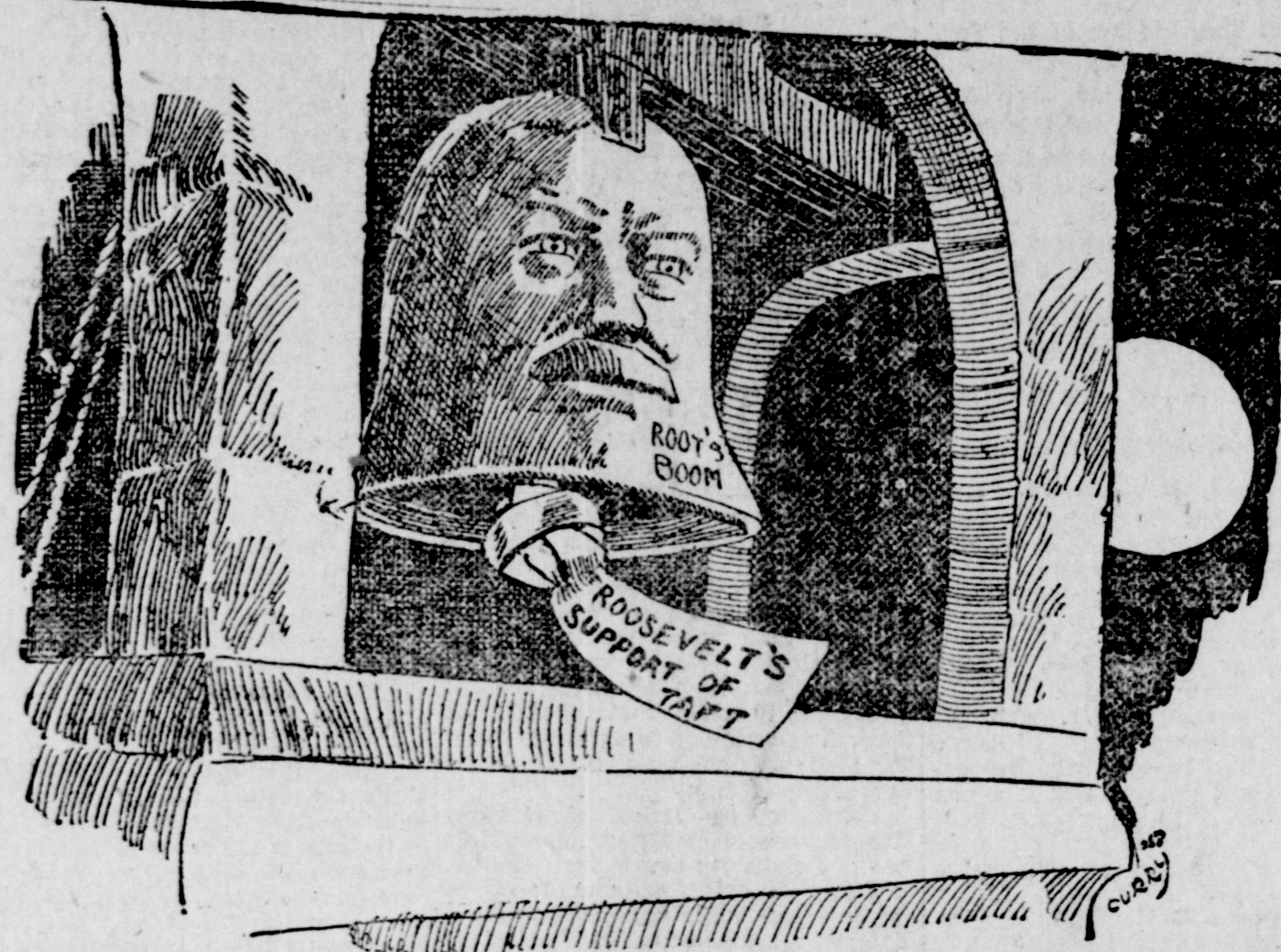
The strike-breakers kept up a steady fire, apparently picking their men before shooting.

This running battle kept up for blocks down Turk street, the crowd surging around the cars on foot and in teams and in automobiles.

CANNON AS NEXT PRESIDENT
Introduced Before Illinois Legislature as the Coming Man.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 8.—Cannon was introduced to the house this morning as the "next president."

IS IT PERMANENTLY MUFFLED?



PARDON GRANTED JANUARY TODAY

PRESIDENT GIVES REFORMED
CRIMINAL HIS FREEDOM

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The commission is empowered to issue bonds in the name of the state which shall not be subject to tax. The state is to pay off the bonds in from five to twenty years.

The plan in mind of the originator of the scheme is not to let this land when cleared remain as a park simply but the park to the lake will be marked on either side by additional state buildings which time will demand.

CHARGE PIERCE WITH PERJURY

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250 GO DOWN AT SEA OFF URUGUAY

FRENCH LINER IS WRECKED
NEAR BUENOS AYERS

CUSTOM OFFICERS SAVE 50

When Boat Goes Ashore All on Board
are Hurled Into Ocean and Loss
of Life Is Uncertain.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 8.—H. Clay Pierce, president of the Waters-Pierce Oil company was arrested today on a warrant from Texas.

It is reported perjury and other charges are in the warrant.

He was forced to take a trip to four courts with an officer and was then taken before United States District Judge Adams on habeas corpus directed to the chief of police.

CAR WRECKERS ARE ARRESTED

Three Boys Are Taken by Police for
Placing Cable Across Track

Joseph Hirt, William Kafelstrom and Clarence Heckner, North side boys were arrested by the police today charged with stretching a cable across the tracks of the Onalaska car line and wrecking a street car, endangering the lives of passengers. No formal action has been instituted against them as yet.

FEARFUL FIGHT ON HIGH SEAS

Russian and Chinamen on Immigrant
Steamer Clash While en Route

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 8.—Nine hundred and fifty-three Chinese and 204 Russians, all passengers on the English steamer Marol King, bound from Vladivostok, Russia, to Guaymas, on the gulf of California, engaged in a free-for-all fight five days ago while at sea, and fourteen of their number were seriously, if not fatally, injured. The steamer is now anchored under the frowning guns of Port Rosencranz.

The Chinese contractors, after a social council of war held by the Chinese coolies, were notified they had been deceived, and were being smuggled to Mexico to be sold as slaves, and that unless the steamer was turned back for Vladivostok it would be seized and the crew put in irons. They had been led to believe that once in Mexico it would be an easy matter to pass through the "underground road" to the United States.

At this time one of the Russians hit a Chinaman on the head, inflicting a gash. An instant later the Russians and Chinese were engaged in a battle. It required hours of work and fighting by Capt. Duncan and his crew, armed as they were, to separate the combatants and put the ringleaders in irons. Lack of arms prevented the Chinese and Russians from killing each other.

QUICK PUNISHMENT OF THIEF
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 8.—Harry Juelis, who yesterday took \$200 worth of jewelry from the room of Mrs. Edward Nicholas, a student of the Indiana normal, was caught by the police yesterday after a chase. He pleaded guilty and was given an indeterminate sentence in a few hours. He says he is from East St. Louis.

ACCUSED OF THEFT, GIRL DIES
VALPARAISO, Ind., May 8.—Ruth Dehoney, aged 15, taunted by school mates who accused her of taking a small bank, committed suicide this morning by drinking wood alcohol.

Kodol is a thorough stomach relief.

The men do a good deal more kicking about the price of spring millinery than they ever do about the high price of tickets to a prize fight.

LA CROSSE PEOPLE APPEAR FOR BILL

STRONG DELEGATION URGES WATERWAYS COMMISSION

SEVERAL ADDRESS SOLONS

Strong Pressure is Being Brought to
Bear for Provision for Probing
of River Possibilities

(By F. L. Holmes.)
MADISON, Wis., May 8.—(Special.)—A strong delegation appeared before the senate committee on state affairs this afternoon in favor of the waterways commission bill.

The following talked for the bill: E. C. Higbee, John Brindley, Louis Lavague, C. P. Thompson, J. E. McConnell, Dr. Eugene Gatterdam, and C. S. Van Auker.

Judge Reid made the principal talk outlining the features of the measure and its great benefits. Dr. Miller and A. M. Brayton were also present. Colonel O. G. Munson presided.

There were several other La Crosse men who were present who did not make any talk, lending influence by their presence.

There is a sentiment about the capitol that the bill will be favorably reported, although it is known there is strong railroad opposition to its passage. The La Crosse delegation is expected to get some definite promise on what will be recommended by the committee late this afternoon.

MOTION IS DENIED

FIRST RULING IN BIG IDAHO
TRIAL ADVISES TO
DEFENDANTS

BOISE, Idaho, May 8.—Judge Fremont Wood today denied a motion of counsel for Haywood, accused of complicity in the murder of Governor Steunenberg, for a bill of particulars. This means immediate trial.

As a precautionary measure, street preaching or speaking will be stopped in Boise during the trials of William D. Haywood and the other leaders of the Western Federation of Miners for the alleged murder of Frank Steunenberg. It is feared that freedom of speech in the street may lead to local agitation for or against the prisoners and possible disorders.

Police and detectives watch the railroad and highways entering the city, and it is the general belief that they will be able at all times to fully control the situation. Behind them is an experienced militia and two troops of United States cavalry quartered at a permanent post within the city limits, but there is not the slightest apprehension that their services will be required.

WARMER WEATHER TOMORROW
Weather Forecaster Predicts a Slight
Rise in Temperature

The weather for tonight and Thursday is to be fair with the temperature a little higher tomorrow.

According to all indications the weather in this section of the country is to be fair and warmer.

The lowest temperature recorded today was 36 degrees and the highest 62 degrees. The wind had a velocity of four miles an hour.

The weather conditions in different parts of the country, according to the statements made by Observer Thompson, are as follows:

The pressure continues low in the southern states this morning, and a depression of equal strength overlies the northwest. The pressure is relatively high east of the upper lake region and on the Pacific slope. Precipitation has occurred in nearly all districts, but has been generally local in character and light, except in the lower Mississippi valley and eastern Texas where heavy thunderstorms have occurred. Shreveport reports a twenty-four hour rainfall of 2.72 inches, and Little Rock 1.06 inches. The temperature changes have been generally small and variable.

The indications are for generally fair weather in this section tonight and Thursday with rising temperature.

KILL POCKET BALLOT AGAIN

Assembly Also Kills Suffrage and Will
Investigate Lumber Trust

MADISON, Wis., May 8.—(Special.)—The assembly killed the Dunn pocket ballot bill this morning. Bancroft spoke for it, but to no avail. It also killed the woman suffrage bill and adopted a memorial to congress to take off the tariff on lumber by a unanimous vote.

It likewise adopted a resolution for an investigation of the lumber trust of Wisconsin. Five new bills came in. One provides members of the civil service commission shall be paid \$1,000 a year instead of \$10 per day. Another would increase the salary of the employees of the state prison one-third.

A thin woman is apt to say that a woman weighing over 140 pounds is "gross."

HYERDAHL CASE IS BEFORE COURT

TERM OPENS WITH TRIAL FOR
THEFT OF FUR COAT.

LUELLA JOHNSON COMPLAINS

Jurors are Excused and New Panel
Is Drawn From the Regular
Jury List Today.

With the calling of the roll of jurors, and the administering of oaths, the wheels of justice were again set in motion in circuit court this morning. The court was called to order at 9:30, the first case for argument being the Heyerdahl larceny case. Because eleven jurors had been excused from service, the sheriff was ordered to draw a new panel of eleven men from the regular jury list. These jurors will report tomorrow morning.

Jurors on the May panel who were excused from service are: L. E. Woolley, Edward Pfaff, F. I. Bolles, E. C. Farnam, C. A. Shimmings, Mat Osweller, W. R. Montague, John Brecht and M. L. Lyons.

Judge J. J. Fruit addressed the new jury and instructed them in their duties, admonishing them not to discuss out of court and cautioning them as to their general behavior. The Heyerdahl case was then called.

Heyerdahl was bound over to circuit court last December, charged with the larceny of a fur coat, a hair brush, comb and several small articles from Luella Johnson. O. R. Skaar appeared for the defense.

District Attorney Otto Bosshard opened for the state by briefly outlining the case, and offering in evidence the comb and brush. The coat was not brought into court, as it has not been recovered.

Luella Johnson, the complainant, the first witness called, testified that the defendant had called on her on the 19th and 20th of December at her place of business, and that he was the only visitor in her apartments between these dates and the 24th of December when she missed the fur coat.

Miss Johnson missed the garment, which was a black seal coat valued at \$65.00, the day before Christmas, when the theft was reported to the police.

In cross examination the attorney for the defense brought out that the witness was an inmate and had been fined very often. She testified that she was 24 years of age and had resided with Mrs. La Brie for four years, previously having resided with Mrs. Desmond.

Miss Stuart, an inmate of the house testified that she and Miss Johnson purchased coats alike. She was in the room with defendant and saw him there. There were new girls who came to the house and left during the time the coat is alleged to have been stolen.

Geo. Grossman, a bartender at the Hub saloon, testified that the defendant was at his place of business with the comb, brush and a bundle containing a coat. The witness re-wrapped the parcel for the defendant.

John Koch, a saloonkeeper on North Fourth street, testified that defendant was in his place of business at about the time of the theft of the coat. He had a bundle in his possession, which the witness re-wrapped for him. Koch ejected the defendant for trying on his own new overcoat, which was hanging in the office.

At the afternoon session the evidence of the police was introduced by the state. Chief H. H. Byrne was the first witness. He said that the defendant had been brought before him soon after his arrest at Madison and that he admitted taking the brush. Defendant said that he would surrender the coat at the proper time.

City Detective Boyd of Madison, testified that he arrested the defendant at Madison, Jan. 6th. Defendant told witness after several interviews that he spent much money with the house and took the coat to get even. Said he left it in a house 20 miles east of La Crosse. Said he could not tell name of man, but could take officers there. The witness found the brush in his possession and identified it in court. At the time of his arrest the defendant had over \$30.00 in his possession.

Detective John Webber testified that the matter was reported at the station Dec. 17. He was detailed on the case. Had no talk with the defendant.

C. A. Sterling of the Law hotel testified that Dr. Heyerdahl stopped at his hotel and brought his register as evidence. Defendant had registered as Dr. Unger. Defendant told witness that he was returning to Vladivostok from the funeral of his mother.

Sam Grant, bartender at the Hub saloon on South Third street testified that he remembered the defendant had been in his place of business but did not remember the circumstances.

Goes to Jury
Owing to the fact that the defense has no witnesses to offer the case will go to the jury this afternoon.

This will bring the case to a close in time to call the Linhart murder case tomorrow.

SPORTING NEWS

BRAINSTORM LOSES
FOR THE BREWERSCATCHES SEVERAL IN ITS GRASP
AND LOUISVILLE WINS

SCORE WAS 4 TO 1 AT FINISH

Milwaukee Drops Back to the Second
Division as Result. Other Con-
tests Yesterday.

Games Yesterday.

Louisville 4, Milwaukee 1.
Kansas City 6, Indianapolis 2.
St. Paul 6, Toledo 3.
Minneapolis-Columbus, snow.

Games Today.

Louisville in Milwaukee.
Columbus in Minneapolis.
Toledo in St. Paul.
Indianapolis in Kansas City.

American Standings.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Columbus	12	4	.750
Louisville	10	4	.714
Kansas City	6	6	.500
Toledo	9	9	.471
Milwaukee	9	11	.450
Indianapolis	8	10	.444
St. Paul	8	10	.444
Minneapolis	3	11	.214

MILWAUKEE. May 8.—Brainstorm of a more or less variegated assortment swept down on the local ball lot, in the eighth inning of yesterday's game with Louisville, sweeping up Frank Hemphill, Harry Clark and Frank Roth in their bewildering grasp and assisting Tom Chivington's crowd of remodeled Colonels to waltz off with a game that to all appearances was labelled Brewers, 1 to 0. After the rout was all over the count was Louisville 4, Milwaukee 1; and it stood this way at the finish:

Milwaukee 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1
Louisville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—4

DROPS ACID INTO EYE

APPLETON, Wis., May 8.—Mrs. C. B. Cahill of Reedsville is at a hospital in this city striving to save one of her eyes into which she poured three drops of carbolio acid instead of that amount of medicine prescribed by an oculist. The attending oculist declares that the eye is almost burned out and that it is altogether probable that it will have to be removed.

Read the Sporting News.

TWO GAMES PLAYED
IN THE NATIONALNEW YORK DEFEATS BROOKLYN
AND TAKES LEAD IN RACE

CHICAGO DOES NOT PLAY

Philadelphia and Boston Have a Good
Battle, Former Winning in
Last Inning.

Games Yesterday.

New York 2, Brooklyn 1.
Pittsburgh-Chicago, rain.
Philadelphia 3, Boston 1.

Games Today.

Brooklyn in New York.
Philadelphia in Boston.

National Standings.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	16	3	.842
Chicago	15	3	.833
Pittsburgh	9	5	.643
Philadelphia	10	6	.625
Boston	7	10	.412
Cincinnati	7	10	.412
St. Louis	3	16	.158
Brooklyn	1	15	.063

BOSTON, May 8.—Corridon pitched a wonderful game for Philadelphia yesterday afternoon and Tenney's heavy hitters could get but one hit off him in ten innings. Young was touched for eleven hits, but kept them so well apart that, aided by fine fielding, the game might have gone on for more innings had he passed up Magee in the tenth and taken a chance on Bransfield. Magee's stick had been active all afternoon while Bransfield had been an easy mark.

The score:

Boston 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
Philadelphia 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—3

New York 2, Brooklyn 1.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The Giants won a splendid victory over the Dodgers this afternoon before a small, but appreciative crowd of fans. The score:

Brooklyn 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1
New York 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—2

Don't Pay Alimony

There be divorced from your appendix. To will be no occasion for it if you keep your bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Their action is so gentle that the appendix never has cause to make the least complaint. Guaranteed by O. T. Erhart, druggist, 25c. Try them.

MANY PLAYERS
ARE IN THE CITYLETCHER ARRIVES WITH 25 MEN
FROM FOND DU LAC

MEDICINE HAT PLAYING TODAY

Freeport Says It Has the Strongest
Club in the League—Madison
Believes Oshkosh is Candy

Manager Tom Letcher of the Fond du Lac club, with something like 25 players, his entire squad, arrived in La Crosse last evening and this morning took his men to League park for the final workout before the opening of the season tomorrow. Manager Tom evidently believes that if he has all his men on hand he will have better chances to win. That he is going after the Champs is evident from the fact that he has seven pitchers with him.

In addition to the team Secretary Dana is also here and tomorrow President Reinke will arrive for the opening game.

League park is swarming with players today. The Medicine Hat team of 12 players arrived and is playing the Champs this afternoon. This will give Fond du Lac an opportunity of sizing up what they will have to buck up against.

From a Freeport paper:

Freeport has the best team in the Wisconsin State league; it has a team composed of men who are going after the pennant; the men are playing with a manager they have confidence in and the larger the attendance the better the disposition will be to play.

Down at Madison:

This from a Madison paper:

The men on the pitching staff until after the Oshkosh game next Thursday, will be Cumiskey, Balliet, Theobald, Barrington, Grimes and Smiling. But after that game some of the men will be farmed out to other teams. Madison will retain but four pitchers on the staff.

It is doped out the Oshkosh is the strongest team in the league. Anyhow that is the talk among the Senators. The men have watched the Oshkosh lineup and they are confident that the sawdust city team can cut rings all around La Crosse.

WINNIPEG 6 MINNESOTA 1.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 8.—The Winnipeg Manitoba league baseball team won out over the University of Minnesota nine in a game played yesterday on Northrup field by a score of 6 to 1.

"SCRAPPY" JONES
TO BE IN BOXWILL TWIRL THE FIRST GAME
FOR CHAMPS THURSDAY

LINE UP OF BOTH TEAMS

Manager Letcher Believes He Has
Strong Club—The Situation
as It Looks Over League

Opening Games.

Fond du Lac at La Crosse.
Oshkosh in Madison.
Green Bay at Freeport.
Wausau at Eau Claire.

(By Lefty.)

"Scrappy" Jones, he of the beguiling ways and great headiness, has been selected by Manager "Pink" Hawley of the Champs to toss the first championship ball for La Crosse tomorrow afternoon at League park, the opening of the 1907 season of the Wisconsin State league. Jones is the only known quantity on the staff at the present time and one of the best twirlers in the league beyond a doubt. That he will throw the opening game against Fond du Lac will be received with pleasure by the fans.

Line Up of Teams

For the opening game the teams will be lined up as follows:

La Crosse—Quinn, right field; Cuddy, short stop; Bond, third base; Konechky, first base; Medwitsky, left field; Vogt, second base; Cahill, center field; Killian or Moore, catch; Jones, pitcher.

Fond du Lac—Deisel, short stop; Rogers, center field; Gardner, left field; Letcher, first base; Spicer, catcher; Goodrich, right field; Ryan, third base; Emerling, second base. The pitcher has not yet been selected.

It can be anticipated that the Champs are going to have a hard battle. Oshkosh, considered by many to be the strongest club in the league, could do nothing with Fond du Lac. Manager Letcher's men playing a snappy game all the time and hit the ball opportunely. A Fond du Lac paper of yesterday had the following to say concerning Manager Letcher and what he thinks of his team:

"Manager Letcher was jubilant over the work of his team Sunday. While it was hard to judge the respective merits of the players, because of the wet condition of the grounds, Letcher vouchsafed the information that it was the best bunch of ball players that he has gathered in the eighteen years of his experience."

On the other hand Manager Hawley believes his team is as strong if not stronger than last season and will be able to cope with the best of them this year as usual.

Over the League

The Fond du Lac and Madison teams are in the league for the first time, and the Eau Claire, Wausau, Oshkosh and Green Bay team are also practically new. All of them have old heads as managers, but with the exception of Bubber of Oshkosh none has had experience in Moll's organization, and all are obliged to proceed largely on guess work as to how strong a team is needed to win in this league. Bubber will have a formidable team at Oshkosh without doubt. Besides himself, two of the pitchers, Kerr and Crangle, second baseman Hazel, Shortstop Schreiner, Field Base Sullivan and Outfielders Dolan, Safford and Duchene have had state league experience and rank among the best in their respective positions. If the Oshkosh pitchers can hold their own against those at La Crosse and Freeport, Bubber may capture the bunting for his city.

Only two of last year's team remain at Green Bay and three at Eau Claire, putting these teams in practically the same position as Fond du Lac and Madison, which are, of course, entirely new. This makes the situation unusually interesting, for it can not be determined until the season opens how strong any of these teams will be. Green Bay has been partly recruited from the Northern league, while at Madison a bunch of good individual players has been collected by Manager Cassibone who is confident that they can hold their own in state league company. The Eau Claire team is new as regards Eau Claire, but old as regards the state league, the bulk of its men coming from other state league clubs. It is said to have the fastest infield in the league. The Wausau team was badly broken up by the neglect of former President John T. Powers to file its reserve list, but a half dozen of the old men have been regained and Manager Ferguson, the former St. Paul pitcher, who has taken hold, has collected a bunch of new men to round out a team which, he claims, will be as strong as any of its rivals.

CHICAGO AGAIN BEATS NAPS

World Champs Take Firmer Hold on the Premier Position in American

Games Yesterday

Detroit 4, St. Louis 3.
Chicago 9, Cleveland 1.
Washington-Boston, rain.

Games Today

New York in Philadelphia.
Boston in Washington.
Cleveland in Chicago.
Detroit in St. Louis.

Club Standing

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	14	6	.700
New York	11	6	.647
Philadelphia	10	6	.625
Detroit	10	8	.556
Cleveland	9	10	.474
Boston	7	11	.433
Washington	5	11	.313
St. Louis	5	14	.264

Often the brightest things in all the world are those that we look upon through our tears.

BIG FIGHT COMES
OFF TONIGHTO'BRIEN AND BURNS WILL CLASH
AT LOS ANGELES TONIGHT

FINISHED TRAINING TUESDAY

Interest in Sullivan-Kelly Match. McFarland Favorite to Go in Milwaukee With Sayers.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 8.—Yesterday wound up the hard preliminary work for Jack O'Brien and Tommy Burns, who will meet Wednesday night at the Pacific Athletic club for the heavyweight championship of the world. Both men appear to be in perfect condition and each is confident of victory. The betting remains about 10 to 7 on O'Brien. Burns today bet \$200 against \$500 on himself. The sale of seats at the pavilion is already equal to the guaranteed purse of \$30,000.

From present indications the men will enter the ring with less than five pounds difference in weight. For nearly a week Burns has remained stationary at 171 pounds, and this afternoon it was announced that Burns tipped the beam at the same notch.

Battling Nelson, William Nolan, Bob Ward, Battling Swason and Abdul, the Turk, are named as O'Brien's seconds. In the opposite corner Billy Woods, Jimmy Burns, Young Brusso and Prof. Lewis will officiate.

Interest in Match.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 8.—With the Hugo Kelly-Jack (Twin) Sullivan fight four days off, interest in the mill is almost at fever heat and thousands of dollars are being wagered on the result. When Kelly first came here it looked as though Sullivan would be an overwhelming favorite in the betting, but if took little time for the news to go the rounds that in Kelly there is the making of a champion and critics from far and near gathered around his training quarters to get a line on his ability.

Wants Match With McFarland.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Johnny Mack, manager for Matty Baldwin, is still hot on the trail of Packy McFarland. Mack has just returned from Davenport, where he held a long conference with the promoters there and brings back the news that \$2,200 will be offered for a bout between McFarland and Baldwin.

McFarland Favorite.

MILWAUKEE, May 8.—Odds in the betting on the McFarland-Sayers fight Friday night at Schlitz park pavilion have changed in favor of the Chicago scrapper. Considerable money already has been wagered. The windy city contingent have sent several hundred dollars to local betting centers to place on McFarland at even money. McFarland and his manager, Harry Gilmore, will arrive Friday morning from Chicago. Sayers is down to weight and fit to fight the fastest battle of his life.

Schreck-Hart Matched.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 8.—Mike Schreck and Marvin Hart were yesterday matched to meet in a finish fight at Tonopah, Nev., Decoration day. The men will fight for a percentage of the gross gate receipts. All expenses have been guaranteed by the Tonopah management.

The binding of the Hart-Schreck match means that the proposed fight between Mike and Bill Squires for May 30 is out of the question.


CREWS BEING WORKED HARD

Varsity and Freshmen Eight Started Out at 6 O'clock in Morning

MADISON, Wis., May 8.—The first varsity and first freshmen crews took two rows on the lake yesterday, one at 6 o'clock in the morning and one at 6 o'clock in the evening. The morning practice will continue until the latter part of May.

The Wisconsin baseball team has a new coach. Dr. J. J. Hausman, instructor in the German department, will take the men in hand for the remainder of the season. He caught for the St. Louis Browns for three years.

MANAGER TOM LETCHER



of Fond du Lac

SPORTING EVENTS

May 8.—Philadelphia Jack O'Brien vs. Tommy Burns at Los Angeles. (Match reputed to be for the heavyweight championship of the world).

May 9.—Opening of the Wisconsin State league season for 1907, La Crosse opening at home with Fond du Lac.

May 9.—Boxing show will be held at Kenosha.

May 10.—Packy McFarland vs. Maurice Sayers, ten rounds, at Milwaukee.

May 21.—Jimmy Gardner vs. Harry Lewis, ten rounds, at Denver.

DATES FOR FOX RIVER GAMES

New League Will Open May 19—Depere is Admitted in Circuit

KAUKAUNA, Wis., May 8.—A meeting of officers and managers of the Fox River Baseball league was held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of making arrangements for the opening games of the schedule. Among those present were John A. Almstead, president of the league; Manager H. Oelfke of New London; Manager Henry Peters of Depere; Manager Paul Pokalski of Menasha; Manager John Coppes of Kaukauna.

Depere was admitted to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of Appleton. It was decided to play the opening games Sunday, May 19. Kaukauna and Appleton teams will play an exhibition game here next Sunday.

RECEIVED BUMP AT PLATE

Schaefer Tells How Walsh Was Injured in Game With Detroit

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 8.—Dutch Schaefer, the Detroit team's second sacker, who bumped into Pitcher Ed Walsh of the White Sox at Detroit, on Saturday, laying him out flat, describes the accident as follows:

"Rossman was on third and I was on second. Schmidt hit the ball toward third, and Rossman was caught between the bag and the plate. Schmidt was making for second, but the throw beat him. In the meantime I started for home. Walsh took the throw at the plate from second, and we bumped into each other. His head struck my chest, and we were both dazed out. I was dazed for about five minutes. He complained about his neck, but we didn't realize that he was badly injured. The ball was knocked out of his hand, but some one else put it on me and completed the triple play."

THE ROUNDUP COLUMN

A leading New York paper, under the head "Sentence Sermons," recently printed the following brain gems:

"He gives nothing who gives only gold."

"Things sublime always are simple at heart."

"The glorious life never seeks its own glory."

As to the first, is it sarcasm, a joke or a misprint? The writer of it probably lived in a six dollar a week hall bedroom. As to the second, well, John L. Sullivan was sublime, but he never was simple at heart. As to the third sentence sermon, if the glorious life never seeks its own glory then it must be seeking somebody else's glory, and that comes gilded round being an attempt at grand larceny.

P. S.—Cheap philosophy is as easy to be had as cheap pugilism.

Cold feet often get into hot water. But the fighter with cold feet is never "in the swim" very long.

Wrestler Fred Beell threw Parr in Chicago. Beell has never been below Parr. (Joke.)

Mike Donlin, the baseball star, has vanished. Hereafter he will be known only as the husband of Mabel Hite, an actress.

Cyrus Denton Young, a winning pitcher at the age of forty, is the only worthy successor to Cap Anson as baseball's grand old man. Cy is still in the game because he never plays the damp portion of the menu card and shows no interest in the entries at the race tracks.

Walter Eckersall, the Chicago football star, will manage a baseball team in Colorado this season. He should make good as a kicker.

Some boys can have a pretty good time at anything which interferes with the happiness and comfort of others.

"PINK" HAWLEY



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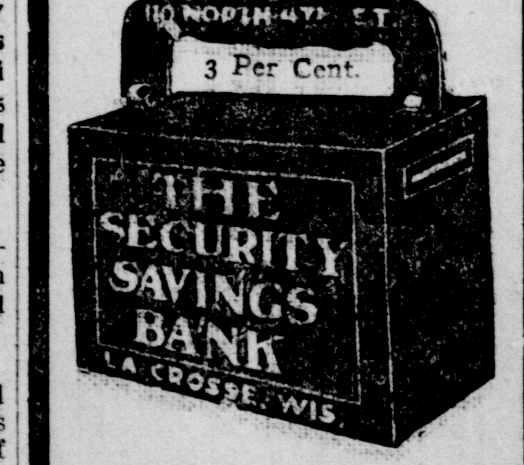
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HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

Coming of Warm Weather Forces Them Out,
Causing Itching, Burning Skin Eruptions.

The blood and skin are so closely connected that whatever affects the one has a corresponding effect on the other. When the blood is pure and healthy the skin will be soft, smooth, and free from all eruptions; but when the blood becomes infected with some unhealthy humor the effect is shown by rashes, eruptions, boils and pimples, or other disfiguring and annoying skin disease.

The skin is provided with countless pores and glands which act as a drainage system to rid the body of impurities through the perspiration that is constantly passing through these little tubes. There are other glands that pour out on the skin an oily substance to keep it soft and pliable, otherwise it would become hard and dry from constant exposure to wind and sun. When the blood becomes filled with humors and acids these are thrown off through the pores and glands, burning and irritating the skin and drying up the natural oils so that we have not only Acne, Eczema, Salt Rheum, etc., but such dry scaly skin eruptions as Tetter, Psoriasis and kindred troubles.

These humors find their way into the blood through a disordered or deranged condition of the system. There is a certain amount of waste or refuse matter collected in the body every day. This is useless in nourishing or keeping the system in health, and nature intends that it shall find an outlet through the channels of bodily waste. As long as these members perform their duties properly the blood remains pure and free from infection; but when from any cause they become dull and sluggish, this refuse matter is left to sour and be taken into the blood in the form of humors and poisons. The skin is a perfect index to the blood; when we see one afflicted with a skin disease, or pimples, rashes, eruptions, blotches, etc., constantly appearing, we know that down deep in the blood a humor has taken root, and instead of supplying nourishment and strength to the fine, delicate tissues of the skin, it is pouring out its acid and unhealthy accumulations.

The skin is not only affected by the humors generated within the system, but poisons from without, such as Poison Oak and Ivy, Nettle Rash, etc., as well as poisons from metals, acids, etc., enter through the open pores and glands, and so thoroughly do they take root in the blood that they are ever present, or return from year to year to annoy the sufferer.

The treatment of skin diseases with salves, washes, lotions, etc., is along the wrong line. True such treatment relieves some of the itching and discomfort, and aids in keeping the skin clean, but it does not reach the real cause of the trouble, and at best such things are only palliative and soothing.

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SMOOTH BUT QUESTIONABLE

Some time ago the Chicago Tribune announced that "Raymond," probably its strongest correspondent, would tour the strategic states to determine what the sentiment of the public is toward Mr. Roosevelt and his plans. He went first to Pennsylvania, and there found the Penrose machine opposed to the president. This was decidedly a Roosevelt boost, but the correspondent reminded the public that Roosevelt himself had intervened to save Penrose and his machine when the good public of the Quaker state were about to annihilate both.

From New York Raymond writes his paper that "Roosevelt's popularity is waning." His letter of yesterday contained the following:

"Most of the suggestions for a third term unquestionably come from a coterie of comparatively cheap politicians, who think that they can curry public favor or can make themselves 'solid' at the White House through such declarations. It has come to be a fashion about the executive offices Washington for some more or less obscure representatives or senators to secure access to the president, talk to him on some unimportant subject for thirty seconds or so, and then go out to the vicinity of the attendant reporters and relieve themselves of the opinion that the country demanded the renomination of the president."

Many people seem to forget that such declarations are invariably born of atmospheric space. They have been heard in every administration. They always will be heard. They mean nothing whatsoever. To get an idea of the possibility of a third term, one must go away from Washington, out of the administration atmosphere, and mix with the people themselves. When this is done it is easy to see the real people—those who are counted upon to cast the vote—believe in Roosevelt to such an extent that they think he was entirely honest when he said that under no circumstances would he accept a nomination for another term in the presidency. He of the great corporations, men with a big money stake in the community, are not at all concerned in regard to a dictatorship. They are the class of people who would prosper most when governments are most debased."

The stories of "Raymond" are smooth stories. On the surface they appear to be intended to promote the things for which the president stands. But underneath it there runs an almost intangible something that smacks of hostility, not to what Roosevelt stands for, but to the third term idea. Possibly a great and customarily fair newspaper has undertaken to eliminate the personality of Roosevelt from the coming campaign. If it is opposed to Roosevelt, it may be on principle. Or it may be part of a plan to ditch the vigorous executive with a view to seeking the nomination of a more tractable man. If the letters of "Raymond" are sincere, we believe he is making a great mistake. The "little fellows" whose position he depleats as of no import are the men who will elect the next president of the United States. The wealthy classes whose opinions he has concluded count, don't count much. Mr. Roosevelt need not acknowledge his willingness to accept another term to get it, and get it by the biggest majority any man ever received.

MR. SPOONER'S INFLUENCE.

A Chicago dispatch quotes ex-Senator John C. Spooner as saying:

"I will not go to Milwaukee, nor to any part of Wisconsin, for fear that my doing so may be construed that I am trying to influence the election of my successor in the senate."

Without doubt it was a motive of delicacy that prompted Mr. Spooner to say this, and to do it. However, the great influence he would be able to exert by his presence is not the sort of influence he himself contemplates. It is probably a fact that were he locked in a room with the candidates they would jump through the windows to escape from his presence. Not that they have so much against Mr. Spooner, but because any candidate seen talking with Mr. Spooner could expect to have all the other candidates immediately using the fact to convince the halfbreed and fair-minded democratic members that the candidate in question is the stalwart choice. That would settle that gentleman's chances in a hurry. Mr. Spooner's influence with the present Wisconsin legislature is decidedly a negative quantity.

QUIPS AND CRANKS
AND WANTON WILES

Henderson—I'm not living with my mother-in-law any more.
Henpeck—I don't blame her.

Her Hope.

Kadley Rich—I saw a great deal of Belle Swellman last winter. I saw you talking to her this morning.
Goody Bullion—Yes; she was telling me she hoped you were going to winter at Palm Beach again this season.

Kadley Rich—Ah, she's going there, eh?
Goody Bullion—No; she's going to California—Catholic Standard and Times.

Presents Good Reason.

Dr. Carmichael, the new bishop of Montreal, is an Irishman—a native of Tipperary. He tells a story about a clergyman who was examining a Sunday school class and who chanced to ask one of his small pupils why it was cruel to cut off dogs tails.

One child replied that it was cruel because of the text in the Bible.
"What text, my dear?" asked the puzzled clergyman.

The child was thoughtful for a moment and then replied: "What God has joined let no man put asunder."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Instructions by Wire.

Hello! Hello! What's that? Hello!!! Say, Central, give a man a show! Yes, this is Nell! Excuse me, Nell! Who's that? How do you spell, Nell? Who was that lobster butted?—say! I can't stand here and yell all day! Connect me with that line again! When did they call? Fine service! When?

Just now. Please give me two-four-nine!
Hello! Now, Nell! Keep off this line! You want a card of what? Oh Lord! I understand! You want a yard—A yard of what? A yard of glue? I have it now. A yard of blue—Blue what? A yard of blue and white? I see! A yard of blue and light—You want a yard of blue—Ripe? Ripe what? Ripe tripe? I get it—stripe!

You want a yard—how's that? Wash milk?
I see—of blue, white-striped wash silk.

—Saturday Evening Post.

Is Light Comedian.

Professor Brander Matthews, the spelling reform advocate, was ridiculing at Columbia college high sounding names for commonplace things—tomborial parlor for barber shop, funeral director for undertaker, and so on.

"Two scrubwomen were talking the other day," he said.
"What's yer son Billy don' now, Mrs. Smith?" asked the first.

"He's on the stage, the other answered.
"Drivin' a stage, do you mean?"
"Drivin' a stage? Nonsense! Willie is an actor. He's a light comedian."

"A light comedian? What part does he play?"

He plays a silent part behind a black curtain, with his mouth to a hole for a candle, and when Alki like shoots at the candle Willie blows it out.—Indianapolis Star.

He Had His Answer

"Twas a glorious night, and two lovers sat upon the cliffside, with the eternal ocean flowing at their feet with a calmness and placidity that was almost appalling. They were looking at the stars above, and he turned to his girl and said, tenderly: 'My darling, I don't understand what you see in me to love me so.' She replied: 'That's what everybody says.'"

The silence was greater than ever.—Tit Bits.

An Oversight

When Chappie got up the other morning he wandered around his apartments in his pretty pink pajamas, the very picture of woe.

"What's the matter, sir?" inquired his valet.
"I don't know, Alphonse," he groaned; "I passed a most unhappy night."

Alphonse looked him over carefully.

"Oh, sir," he exclaimed, "I know what was the matter. The trousers of your pajamas were not creased. You must be more careful, sir. Those I had prepared for you were hanging across the foot of the bed."—The Bohemian.

Which Means Exposure

Hicks—I carried my wife's umbrella with me yesterday and lost it somewhere. Now she wants to advertise it.

Wicks—That's a good idea. It may be returned to her.

Hicks—That's just the trouble. I'm almost certain I left it in some saloon.—The Catholic Standard and Times.

An Observing Soldier

A captain of an English regiment stationed at Natal, while paying off his company, chanced to give one of his new recruits a Transvaal half crown which bears the image and superscription of Paul Kruger. The fellow soon returned with the coin and, throwing it on the table, declared it was bad. The officer took the piece of money and rang it on the table.

"It sounds all right, Atkins; what's the matter with it?" he asked.

"Well, sir," replied Atkins, "if you say it's all right, it's all right, but it's the first time I've seen the Queen with whiskers on."—Army and Navy Life.

Which?

Three men, A, B, and C, took a certain course. Each earnestly desired a large, rich, juicy, soul-satisfying grade of A?—Harvard Lampoon.

ture. Which of the three men pulled the large, rich, juicy, self-satisfying grade of A?—Harvard Lampoon.

Resemblance.

"It is easy to see that the baby takes after me," Mr. Nupaw asserted. "He is as bald as I am, his eyes are brown as are mine, he resembles me in features, he—"

"Also," cut in the wife, as the kid set up a howl for his noonday meal, "he goes after the bottle about as often as you do."

Mrs. Nupaw did all the talking for the rest of the evening.—The Bohemian.

Puzzle

"Kathleen, go to the library and get me 'The Lost Soul.'"

"Yes, ma'am; and what will I do if I can't find it?"—Translated for Transatlantic Tales from Meggendorfer Blätter.

Disillusion

"She had played in amateur theatricals you know, and threatened to go on the stage if her parents would not let her marry the duke."

"And what did her parents do?"

"They let her go on the stage, gave the duke a check for a front seat, and were not at all surprised when he sailed back to France the next morning."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

In Court.

Bright dialogue from Justice Lawrence's court: Counsel—I suggest that the door of room 160 was closed not ajar.

Witness—What is a jar?

Counsel—You will be asking next.

"When is a door not a door?" Don't point at his lordship. He is not a jar.—London Globe.

QUICK JUSTICE IN NEW JERSEY

(New York Tribune.)

On Thursday last at Wrentham, N. J., a lawless and depraved negro made an attack upon a schoolgirl. On Friday he was sentenced to imprisonment at hard labor for twelve years and to the payment of \$3,000 fine. There was no lynching nor thought of it, nor any undue public excitement. There was simply an inexorable determination that the law should be executed decently and in order, which in the circumstances meant fully and immediately. That determination was fulfilled in a way according with the best traditions of "Jersey Justice."

CRITICISM HARDLY WORTH NOTICE

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

It is stated that Mr. Stead is much dissatisfied with the manners of American men and that Henry James deprecates the mad manners of American women. Between these eminent censors it would seem to be evident that we have little really good manners left. It is quite possible that if Mr. James turned his expert attention to the manners of our men and Mr. Stead was equally attentive to the manners of our women the two would sweep away every mannerly vestige we may have fancied we possessed. We would revert back, as it were, to the social amenities of the cave man and to the courtesies of the age of stone. But we mustn't take this insular Englishman and this quondam American too seriously.

WHERE REAL CREDIT IS DUE

(Philadelphia Ledger.)

"Pouff!" said the foreigner derisively. "Your finest wines and most luscious prunes come from France. Yet you boast of your products!"

"Hold on," replied the Californian.

"Don't you know that my state yields those very wines and prunes?"

"But ze label!" said the foreigner.

"Zat is ze work of France. Has America such art? Again pouff!"

HOW FANS ROOT IN BOSTON

(Birmingham Age-Herald.)

"Advance expeditiously to third base!" "Endeavor to drive the horsehide sphere over the fence!" "Hic jacet! Another visitor has been unable to solve Smith's parabolas!" "Scintillating! Scintillating, old fellow! Continue so!" "By Socrates, the putrescence of that umpire is unbearable!"

GILT-EDGED SECURITY

The heavy man—Lend me a five spot till Saturday night, will you, Fred?

The star—Any chance of my getting it back?

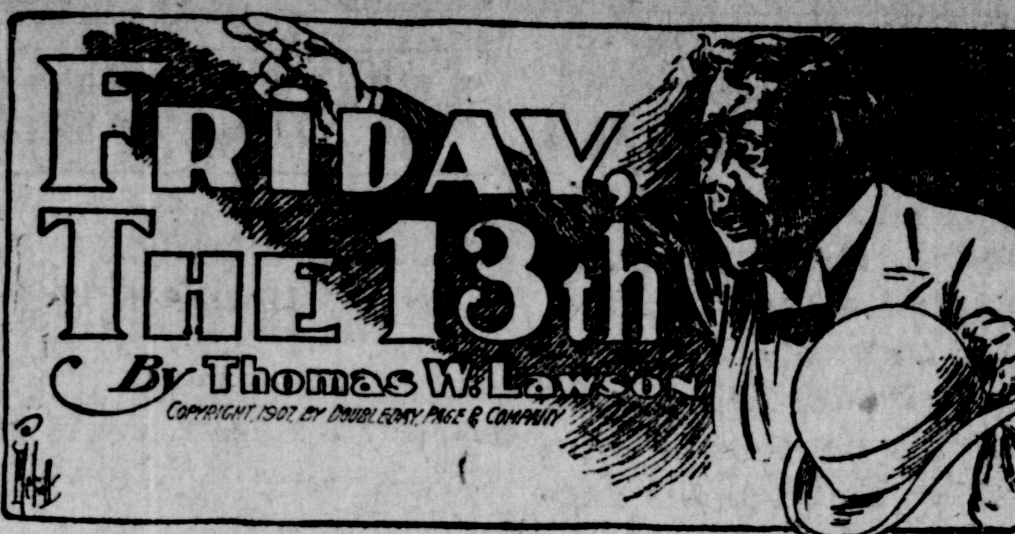
The heavy man—Is there! Why, say, don't I win \$5,000 at faro in the second act?

CASE BONDS FOR MILLIONS.

Trust Deed Is Filed and Company Will Build in Europe. Gets \$3,500,000.

RACINE, May 8.—A trust deed of the J. I. Case Threshing Machine company to the First Trust and Savings bank of Chicago and Emile K. Boissot, first vice-president of the bank, was filed today. According to the document the indenture was made because the company desires to borrow money for the transaction and extension of its business, the funding of its unreserved indebtedness and the acquisition of additional working capital. The company will issue its first mortgage bonds to the amount of \$3,500,000, which has been authorized by stockholders and directors. The bonds are to be 4,100 in number, 2,900 for \$1,000 and 1,200 for \$500 each. The series run from Nov. 1, 1908, to Nov. 1, 1919, bearing interest at 5 per cent. The deed covers all of the property of the big corporation in this city, also Minneapolis, Minn., Des Moines, Ia., Lincoln, Neb., and Fargo, N. D. The move is to extend the company's foreign trade. There has been talk of establishing a new factory in St. Petersburg, Russia and Fort Williams, Canada.

It is said that the hostility of the late Charles Stewart Parnell to British rule of Ireland was due to the fact that his mother's residence, even her chamber, was at one time searched by the police looking for political refugees.



(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.)

SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Bob Brownley creates a panic in Wall street. He is a friend of Jim Randolph of Randolph & Randolph, bankers and brokers. Brownley and Randolph had gone to college together and entered the employ of Randolph's father at the close of college days. Brownley is a Virginian by birth. Beulah Sands, daughter of an old Virginia house, calls on Brownley and tells him her father has been practically ruined by the stock operations of Reinhart. She hopes to utilize her own money in Wall street in retrieving her father's fortunes before his condition becomes known, and asks for employment in the office that she may have an opportunity to better understand how her money is invested. She does not want it used in a purely Wall street gamble, but in the buying and selling of legitimate securities. Brownley agrees to help her, and falls in love with her.

CHAPTER II.—Brownley plunges in a huge stock. He uses the money of Miss Sands, his own and in addition is backed heavily by the Randolph millions. His coup seems successful, and he tells Miss Sands that she has cleared \$1,800,000. But the market had not closed.

CHAPTER III.—Barry Conant, head broker for Standard Oil and sugar interests, suddenly begins to sell "sugar." In the midst of a panic he breaks the market and with its fall carries away the earnings and much of the capital of systematic brokers who take. A pretty love scene occurs between the two at the office when Bob attempts to tell her the terrible truth of their fall. Brownley takes a train to Virginia.

CHAPTER IV.—Beulah and Bob become engaged. Randolph wants to loan her father the money to meet his obligations. He refuses. Bob figures on how to beat Wall street. His own game is sugar. Another sensational spurt upward, but Brownley keeps out.

CHAPTER V.—The "bulls" toss sugar to record breaking point, and the "street" goes wild. Barry Conant, for the "system," pushes prices up and up, and a wonderful clean-up is promised when the market closes. Thursday, November 12, Sugar opens higher Friday morning, November 13. When the price had passed all bounds Brownley steps into the pit and begins to sell. He sells every share "the house does not take," and pounds the price down and down until failure are of momentary occurrence, and "the system" has lost millions. He has made millions for Beulah Sands and her father.

CHAPTER VI.—Beulah Sands insists upon being assured that there is no dishonest connected with the money he has made for her, and he cannot honestly answer. He leaves her to think it out. When he returns he finds her staring at the glaring headlines of a newspaper extra announcing that her father, while temporarily insane, had killed his wife, his daughter and himself, and Beulah Sands had gone crazy.

CHAPTER VII.—Bob Brownley marries Beulah Sands. The sight of the old home does not restore her reason, and he returns with her to New York and builds a palace for his bride, one floor of which is designed especially for her. He begins plunging on the "street" and adds millions to his now great fortune. He always opposes the "system." His every appearance on the floor of the exchange means panic conditions. Time after time he has "the street" seemingly at his mercy, but relents before the great crash comes.

CHAPTER VIII.—Brownley proposes to break Wall street. The sight of a panic he has created Randolph threatens to commit suicide if he does not stop. He stops, but assures his friend that it is the last time he will stop, that the next time he will complete the job when he begins to "buy" "sugar." And Peoples' Trust stock. He pounds "the system's" prices down, down, down.

CHAPTER IX.—When the whole street is on the verge of a crash he desists and tells them a few plain truths, and how a panic can be created by almost any man with nerve. He authorizes Barry Conant to buy him up to 10,000,000 shares of stock, and announces his retirement from the exchange forever.

"Men of Wall street, it is impossible to prevent the repetition of those acts by which in five years I have accumulated a billion dollars, impossible so long as a short sale or a repurchase and resale, is allowed. When short sales, and repurchases and resales, are made impossible, stock speculation will be dead. When stock speculation is dead, the people can no longer be robbed by the 'System.' In leaving you, the exchange, and stock-gambling forever, as I shall when I leave this platform, I will say from the depth of a heart that has been broken, from the profundity of a soul that has been withered by the 'System's' poison, with a full sense of my responsibility to my fellow-man and to my God, that I advise every one of you to do what I have done and to do it quickly, before the doing of it by others shall have made it impossible, before the doing of it by others shall have blown up the whole stock-gambling structure."

In accepting my advice you can quiet your conscience, those of you who have any, with this argument: 'If I start, I am sure of success. If I succeed, no one will be the wiser. The millions I secure I will take from men who took them from others, and who would take mine. The more I and others take, the sooner will come the day when the stock-gambling structure will fall.'

"The day on which the stock-gambling structure falls is the day for which all honest men and women should pray."

Bob Brownley paused and let his eyes sweep his dumfounded audience. There was not a murmur. The crowd was speechless.

Again his eyes swept the room. Then he slowly raised his right hand with fist clenched, as though about to deal a blow.

"Men of Wall street"—his voice was

now deep and solemn—"to show that Robert Brownley knew what was fitting for the last day of his career, he has revealed to you the trick—and more."

"Many of you are desperate. Many of you by to-morrow will be ruined. The time of all times for such to put my trick in practice is now. The victim of victims is ready for the experiment. I am he. I have a billion dollars. With this billion dollars I am able to buy 10,000,000 shares of the leading stocks and to pay for them, even though after I have bought they fall a hundred dollars a share. Here is your chance to prevent your ruin, your chance to retrieve your fortune, your chance to secure revenge upon me, the one who has robbed you."

He paused only long enough for his astounding advice to connect with his listeners' now keenly sensitive nerve centers; then deep and clear rang out, "Barry Conant." The wiry form of Bob's old antagonist leaped to the rostrum.

"I authorize you to buy any part of 10,000,000 shares of the leading stocks at any price up to 50 points above the present market. There is my check-book signed in blank, and I authorize you to use it up to a billion dollars, and I agree to have in bank to-morrow sufficient funds to meet any checks you draw. You have failed to-day for seven millions, and, therefore, cannot trade, but I herewith announce that I will pay all the indebtedness of Barry Conant and his house. Therefore he is now in good standing." Bob had kept his eye on the great clock; as the last word passed his lips, the president's gavel descended.

With a mighty rush the gamblers leaped for the different poles. Barry Conant with lightning rapidity gave his orders to 20 of his assistants, who, when Bob Brownley called for Conant, had gathered around their chief. In less than a minute the dollar-battle of the age was on, a battle such as no man had ever seen before. It required no supernatural wisdom for any man on the floor to see that Bob Brownley's seed had fallen in superheated soil, that his until now secret hellfire was about to be tested. It needed no expert in the mystic art of deciphering the wall hieroglyphics of Old Hag Fate to see that the hands on the clock of the "System" were approaching 12. It needed no ear trained to hear human heart and soul beats to detect the approaching sound of onrushing doom to the stock-gambling structure. The deafening roar of the brokers that had broken the stillness following Robert Brownley's fateful speech had awakened echoes that threatened to shake down the exchange walls. The surging mob on the outside was roaring like a million hungry lions in an Arabian run at slaughter time.

CHAPTER X.

The instant after the gong sounded Bob Brownley was alone on the floor at the foot of the president's desk. His form was swaying like a reed on the edge of the cyclone's path. I jumped to his side. His brother, who had during Bob's harangue been vainly endeavoring to beat his way through the crowd, was there first.

"For God's sake, Bob, hear me. Word came from your house half an hour ago of the miracle: Beulah has awakened to her past. Her mind is clear; the nurses are frantic for you to come to her."

He got no further. With a mad bellow and a bound, like a tortured bull that sees the arena walls go down, Bob rushed out through the nearest door, which, I thanked God, was a side one leading to the street where the crowd was thickest. He cast a wild look around. His eyes lighted on an empty automobile whose chauffeur had deserted to the crowd. It was the work of a second to crank it; of another to jump into the front seat. Quick as had been his movement, I was behind him in the rear seat. With a bound the great machine leaped through the crowd.

"In the name of Christ, Bob, be careful," I yelled, as he hurled the iron monster through the throng, scattering it to the right and left as the mower scatters the sheaves in the wheat fields. Some were crushed beneath its wheels. Bob Brownley heard not their screams, heard not the curses of those who escaped. He was on his feet, his body crouched low over the steering wheel, which he grasped in his vice-like hands. His hatless head was thrust far out, as though it strove to get to Beulah Sands ahead of his body. His teeth were set, and as I had jumped into the machine I had noted that his eyes were those of a maniac, who saw sanity just ahead if he could but get to it in time. His ears were deaf not only to the howl of the terrified throng and the curses of the teamsters who frantically pulled their horses to the curb, but to my warnings as well. He swung the machine around the corner at New street and into Wall as though it had been the broadest boulevard in the park. He took Wall street at a bound I was sure would land us

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MARVEL

ALL GROCERS

through the fence into Trinity's churchyard. But no. Again he turned the corner, throwing the Juggernaut on its outside wheels from Wall street into Broadway as the crowds on the sidewalk held their breath in horror. I, too, was on my feet, but crouching as I hung to the sides. Thank God, that usually crowded thoroughfare was free from vehicles as far up as I could see, on beyond the Astor house. What could it mean? Was that divinity which 'tis said protects the drunkard and the idiot about to aid the mad rush of this love-frenzied creature to his long-lost but newly returned dear one? I heard the frantic clang of

FOR WOMEN

Tulle is being used for many of the late spring wedding gowns. Glossy silk crapes, too, have come into the market in great quantities, and they are chosen by some brides. Chiffon cloth is still a standby for brides who are econom-



CHILD'S SUMMER FROCKS—5698.

ically inclined and expect to get some use out of their wedding gowns later on.

Do not mix the flowers in the wedding toilet. If orange blossoms decorate the gown, wear them also in the hair. Sometimes roses and lilies of the valley are combined, but be certain to have them combined wherever used.

Crossbarred dimity, dainty with little colored flowers, is one of the fads of the season for trousseau sets for girlish brides. One of the latest developments for brides with pretty feet are the little shoes of silver brocade to go with the wedding gown.

Leghorn hats are with us again in goodly profusion. They are the real old fashioned kind, with the small, low crown and the floppy brim, and if they are worn in the most up to date manner they are allowed to flop as they will. Primmed simply with a band of black velvet round the crown and tied in a bow with ends that hang almost to the waist at the back, they are very smart. Mme. Melba, it seems, set the fashion.

The cut shows two pretty little frocks for children made of linen. They may be made either as simple or as elaborate as is desired.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

Electric Light bears the same relation to a room as a smile does to the human face.

Is your home wired?

Wisconsin Service.

Doctor Said Consumption



MR. ANDREW MAYER.

Mr. Andrew Mayer of 470 Grove St., Brooklyn, N. Y., contracted a severe cough, which continued so long that the doctor said he had bronchitis or consumption and after he tried his doctor's prescription, and received no relief, he decided to use DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY, which finally cured him and restored his health and strength.

Letters like the following are received daily telling of some marvelous cure due to the timely use of DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY, as prescribed:

"I had a severe cough for some time and became extremely alarmed because my physician told me I had bronchitis and another said I had consumption. As I received little benefit from the remedies prescribed for me I began to think what the doctors had said was only too true. I finally decided to take DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY, with little hope of the result that followed. Slowly the coughing spells lessened in frequency and the quantity thrown up also became less, and my strength which had sadly failed, is now as good as ever. I feel that I am saved, and that I owe my good fortune to the timely use of DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY."—ANDREW MAYER, 470 Grove St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 30th, 1906.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

is distilled wholly from malted grain by a most expensive method which has never been made public and this private process insures quality and flavor. Its age, softness, palatability and freedom from those injurious substances found in other whiskeys make it acceptable to the most sensitive stomach.

It acts as an antitoxin which destroys and drives out all disease germs. Its results are free from that depressing effect caused by poisoning the blood with many medicines. It is a tonic and invigorant for old and young, and its medicinal properties make it invaluable to overworked men, delicate women and sickly children. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has been analyzed many times by the best chemists during the past fifty years and has always been found to be absolutely pure.

CAUTION.—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only; never in bulk. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken and that our guarantee is on every bottle. Price \$1.00. Illustrated medical booklet and doctor's advice free. Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

APPLETON GETS FACTORIES

APPLETON, Wis., May 8.—Appleton within the next two weeks will have two new industries employing about 100 hands. The Body Paper company of Kaukauna has leased a portion of the plant of the Double Power Wind Mill company and will install a paper coating plant with a daily capacity of 10,000 pounds. The plant of the Remington Watch company, which has been unemployed for years, has been leased by Emil Zwicker, who will install a knitting factory.

BUY LARGE TRACT OF HEMLOCK

WAUSAUKEE, Wis., May 8.—The Bird & Wells Lumber company has purchased a large tract of hemlock timber in Forest county from C. A. Hutchins, Beloit, Wis.

HERE WE ARE AGAIN

A PECK OF BARGAINS

Fancy hand picked Navy Beans, 4 quarts 25c
Strictly fresh Eggs, per dozen 15c
6 pounds finest Lump Starch 25c
3 large cans Baked Beans 25c
10 bars of Beauty Soap 25c
3 bars of Lenox Soap 10c
8 regular 5 cent packages of toothpicks 25c
1 pound package of Corn Starch 5c
Eagle or Big Bonanza Lye, per can 7½c
Tanglefoot Fly Paper, 3 double sheets 5c
12 boxes best Parlor Matches at only 9c
Arm & Hammer Saleratus four 1 pound packages 25c
Pineapples, nice large ones, each 12½c
Rice, formerly 10c per pound, 7c; or 4 pounds 25c
These prices are good until Saturday, May 11.

ENGAS' CASH GROCERY
COR. WEST AVE. & ADAMS ST.
BOTH PHONES.

FRANK HOUSTON IS NO MORE

Former Trempealeau Man Dies at His Home in Tacoma, Wash., Says Letter

TREMPEALEAU, Wis., May 8.—(Special).—News reached here Monday of the death of Frank Houston at his home in Tacoma, Wash. Mr. Houston lived in Trempealeau for a number of years and Mrs. Houston will be remembered as the daughter of the late Judge Newman.

Among the La Crosse visitors Saturday were W. M. Atwood, B. F. Robinson, Walter Robinson, Philip Brady, Misses Aletha Goodhue, Olive Bemis, Mae Thomas, Stella Brady and Minnie Silkworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Odekirk entertained at supper Saturday C. H. James and Douglas Crockett.

W. E. Cooper of Milwaukee arrived here Friday to look after the interests of the Cooper & Graves Lumber company.

Mrs. Gus Spaulding was a Winona visitor Saturday.

Miss Marjorie McGilvary entertained Miss Jennie Bright at tea Saturday.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. John Kutcher, who died Friday, were held at the residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment took place at Nellville Monday.

Miss Genie Muir of Centerville was the guest of relatives over Sunday.

Walter Robinson was the guest of A. A. Holmes and family at supper Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Clemens of La Crosse spent Sunday here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pierson.

Mrs. Jones of Galesville is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. William Kribs.

HERMIT KILLED BY TRAIN.

MARSHFIELD, May 8.—Robert Reidel, a farmer hermit residing a mile west of Granton, was found dead on a bridge near that town yesterday by the Merrillan passenger train. He was last seen at Granton Monday night, and as his way home was along the railroad, it is supposed he was walking on the track and was struck by one of the night trains. He lived the life of a hermit, his only companions being his two dogs. He owned a large tract of land and is said to have considerable cash which he closely guarded.

COMPANY FILES APPEAL.

KENOSHA, May 8.—An appeal has been filed from the decision of the commissioners who awarded damages against the Thomas B. Jeffery company at the time the Chicago and Milwaukee road built the main line through property owned by the company. The commissioner awarded Jeffery \$50,508. Jeffery claims that his damages exceed \$200,000, while the company claims that the value of the land taken is not in excess of \$30,000.

NEW PEWAUKEE BANK.

PEWAUKEE, May 8.—The new Pewaukee state bank opened its doors yesterday. The officers are: Franklin Ely, president; J. I. Gates, vice-president; John Morrow, cashier, who with W. L. Lobdell, H. Kuehnle and Otto C. Laabs, the latter of Milwaukee, constitute the board of directors. Mrs. Sarah Bolles, the oldest resident, was the first depositor.

Making a mistake is not half so costly as failing to profit by the lesson in the error.

WILL BUILD AN AUTO FACTORY

Janesville Engineer Planning Model for New Machine Which Will Be Built There

JANESVILLE, Wis., May 8.—W. O. Thomas, consulting engineer, who has been employed by large automobile manufacturers to perfect, improve, and "take the bugs out of" their cars, will during the next four months, set up a model of his own. If this proves successful arrangements will be made to manufacture the cars in Janesville, local capitalists of the Santa Fe and Northwestern railroads in furnishing the necessary capital. Mr. Thomas plans to produce a high grade six-cylinder car which will sell for a moderate price.

BEAUTIFY GRAND RAPIDS

Woman's Clubs of That City Raise Funds to Make it a Pretty Town

GRAND RAPIDS, Wis., May 8.—The federation of women's clubs of Grand Rapids has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Earle Pease; vice presidents, Mrs. B. M. Brown and Mrs. William Kellogg; secretary, Miss Maurine Johnson; treasurer, Mrs. Lina Corrievau.

The federation has done considerable toward civic improvement here, though only a little over a year old. During the last year it has succeeded in raising over \$500 by entertainments and the like, and is spending it in beautifying the city. The latest gift to the city is two dozen large public paper receptacles, placed in conspicuous places about the city, to prevent littering the streets. The federation has also agitated the question of city parks, and through its efforts the city council has already secured desirable park sites for the use of the city.

RESTAURANT MEAT FATAL

Appleton Man Strangles on Tough Beefsteak Lodged in Throat

APPLETON, Wis., May 8.—William Davis, a journeyman, was found in an alley gasping for breath. A physician found the man was strangling to death from something in his throat. It was necessary to use instruments to remove the obstruction which was found to be a piece of meat three inches square. Davis had procured the meat in a restaurant.

SHOT AT THROUGH CURTAIN

SPRING GREEN, Wis., May 8.—In a saloon quarrel last night at Plain, eight miles from here, Michael Schwartz, saloonkeeper, is alleged to have shot Jack Love in the arm. The story is that Schwartz fired through a curtain with a shotgun.

TRIPLE WEDDING AT DEPERE

DE PERE, Wis., May 8.—A triple wedding took place today at St. Mary's church. Two of the brides and one groom are members of the same family. The couples are Reinard Vandeurzen and Miss Della Scray, John Van Lanen of Wrightstown and Miss Nellie Vandeurzen, and John Verhagen and Miss Kate Vandeurzen.

BOILER EXPLODES; KILLS MAN

COLUMBUS, Wis., May 8.—Herman Kurbs, aged 25, was killed yesterday by the bursting of a boiler at the plant of the Kurth Brewing company. He was exhausting the boiler when the accident happened.

What deep wounds ever close without a scar?

WISCONSIN NEWS

COLLIER CLAIMS HE IS INNOCENT

DISTRICT ATTORNEY ADMITS HE MAY HAVE DONE WRONG.

HIS COMPANION IS HELD

Shelley Montgomery Will Be Tried on a Perjury Charge in the Circuit Court.

KENOSHA, Wis., May 8.—Shelley Montgomery, aged 9, son of Jacob H. Montgomery, well known in the business and society world of Kenosha, who was arrested 3 weeks ago on a charge of perjury in connection with evidence given at the trial of Edward Collier, convicted of manslaughter in the fourth degree, was held to the circuit court here for trial this afternoon under bonds of \$1,000.

Frank L. Jackson, equally prominent, arrested with him, will have a hearing on Wednesday. It was the irony of fate that Edward Collier, the best friend of Montgomery, was the main witness against him, and Collier's story aided materially in binding Montgomery over just as the story told by Montgomery two months ago had resulted in the conviction of Collier for the killing of William Dreyer, who was run down by an auto on July 23 of last year. Collier was let off with a fine.

Collier's story on the stand today was the first that he has told in regard to the case, and notwithstanding the fact that he has paid his fine after having been found guilty by a jury, he protested his innocence in no uncertain words.

He declared he did not run down the old man, but that he possibly struck an object on the road the night Dreyer was killed, and that this object has been converted into the old man and he had been convicted of killing him.

Collier declared that he could not and would not admit, even to save his friend, that he had struck a man statement. He admitted that he had nothing on which to base such a friends had feared that he had slowed down his machine and that his friends and feared that he had struck a man, but he declared that to this day he believes that the car never hit Dreyer.

District Attorney Baker, after the testimony of Collier, turned to him and said: "It is possible, Collier, that I have convicted the wrong man."

The trial of Montgomery will be called at the September term of the circuit court.

WOMAN'S CLUB ELECTIONS OFFICERS

GRAND RAPIDS, Wis., May 8.—The Federation of the Women's clubs of the city of Grand Rapids elected these officers: President, Mrs. Earle Pease; vice presidents, Mrs. B. M. Brown and Mrs. William Kellogg; secretary, Miss Maurine Johnson; treasurer, Mrs. Lina Corrievau.

Blood-Cleansing Spring Tonic

Doctors Strongly Advise That a Tonic Be Taken This Month to Enrich the Blood and Bring Fresh Vigor and Life to the Entire Body.

Now when the gentle Spring days are here and the seasonal Spring showers are revivifying all nature, and all plant life is starting to bud forth in glory, many a man and woman does not feel the joyousness which should be theirs at this season. Rather they feel languid, tired, have very little or no appetite, ambition is gone, lack energy, enjoy neither work nor rest. Life in their case at least is largely a burden, a thing to be endured, not to be enjoyed. All this simply means that the system needs toning up, and each every function of the body needs stimulating and strengthening. This once accomplished, life again becomes a joy and pleasure.

If your system is in need of a blood cleansing tonic that will start the whole machinery of the human frame running smoothly and naturally, it is your evident duty to seek out and find some tried, approved and safe remedy that will do the work of cleansing the blood and building up the tissue without at the same time leaving any injurious effects.

Thousands of physicians prescribe and endorse Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as an ideal Spring medicine, one that does its work effectively in purifying the blood, in strengthening the heart action, in aiding digestion and in adding fresh vigor and life to the entire body. Large numbers of those who have used Duffy's are most loud in its praise.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is distilled wholly from malted grain by a most expensive method which has never been made public and this private process insures quality and flavor. Its age, softness, palatability and freedom from those injurious substances found in other whiskeys make it acceptable to the most sensitive stomach. It is the only whiskey recognized as a medicine.

It acts as an antitoxin on the system, and destroys and drives out all disease germs. It invigorates the brain, creates new tissue and keeps the entire system elastic and youthful; thus, health is enjoyed and life is prolonged.

Duffy's is the only absolute preventive and cure of pneumonia, consumption, grip, bronchitis, asthma, stomach and nervous diseases, malaria and low fevers.

BOY OF NINE DIES OF OLD AGE

VERY UNUSUAL CASE OF MILWAUKEE LAD PUZZLING

THE DOCTORS ARE BAFFLED

Organs Worn as Though He Had Lived for Eighty Years—Family Is Healthy

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 8.—Walter Multerer, aged 9, son of Jacob Multerer, 1007 Sixth street, died yesterday practically of complications usually attending great age.

The boy had been an invalid for four years, during which time he had suffered from several incurable diseases. His death was caused by tuberculosis of the bones, consumption of the lungs, dropsy and pneumonia. In addition to these complaints, the boy had catarrh of the head and incurable skin disease.

His four brothers and sisters are healthy children. None of them has ever suffered from sickness other than minor complaints.

Every vital organ of Walter Multerer was worn out as if it had been doing service for eighty or ninety years. The decay which characterizes age was apparent in the worn out condition of the entire body.

Four years ago it became apparent that the boy had lived his best days. He began to show symptoms of rheumatism, weak lungs and stomach. Two years ago two of his fingers were amputated because of rheumatism, and since that time he had been able to offer study for half a dozen specialists in different diseases. The little fellow, who had to suffer as few people have to, came of a healthy family, and his ancestors have been long-lived people. His father is a brewer. There is no assignable cause for the strange maladies which found fertile soil in the system of Walter Multerer, except that his organs were played out after they had been working for a half dozen years and became subject to all diseases which afflict old age.

Such a case as that of Walter Multerer is rarely heard of. According to physicians who have treated him, decay of the vital organs has been found in young persons, but not in such pronounced degree as in the case of Walter Multerer.

Many specialists in Milwaukee were consulted during the long illness of the boy. One of the surprises furnished them was that he lived as long as he did. He had been practically bed-ridden for four years, and during the past year he had been confined to bed altogether.

ROELLIG STILL WANTS SEAT

Defeated Alderman Tries to File His Papers With City Clerk and Says He Will Contest Bartl's Right

William P. Roellig, claiming he has been duly elected alderman of the Eleventh ward, attempted to file his oath of office with City Clerk J. M. Sieger, but owing to the fact that the common council has already settled this contest and Joseph Bartl has taken his seat in the council, the city clerk failed to place Mr. Roellig's oath of office on file. Mr. Roellig states that he will begin quo warranto proceedings in the circuit court at once.

Mr. Roellig also declares that there were several defective ballots and they were counted for Mr. Bartl. It is on this claim that he is entitled to a seat in the council but when the official vote was canvassed by the common council Mr. Bartl was declared elected by one vote.

It was in the Eleventh ward that the hardest fight was made, and had Mr. Roellig been re-elected the council would have been republican. Alderman Bartl states that he will hold his seat until the courts declare him out.

MAIL CAR IS LEFT STANDING

Noon Burlington Leaves Mail on Rails and Switch Engine Takes Up Pursuit to Avoid Fine

A mail car on its rear end of the noon Burlington yesterday which carried Baron Kuriko, was left standing in front of the station when the train pulled out. No one knew what to think of the affair until it was discovered that one of the couplings had been damaged in a slight collision in St. Paul, and it was decided that this was what had caused the accident.

An engine was sent down from Grand Crossing which started out about 2 o'clock to try and overtake the train to avoid a fine from the government.

SECTION MEN STRIKE.

CHIPPewa FALLS, May 8.—Section men on the Wisconsin Central here went on strike today demanding a raise from \$1.40 to \$1.70 a day. Similar demands, it is said, will be made by section men all along the road.

BOY MAY HAVE BEEN KIDNAPED

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 8.—Jacob Schneider, 12 years old, went to Sunday school Sunday morning and has not been seen since. The mother fears the boy has been kidnapped or drowned.

WEDDINGS IN THE STATE

JANESVILLE, Wis., May 8.—Miss Louise M. Drummond and Joseph E. O'Grady, both of this state, were married at noon yesterday.

Many a man never gets beyond the stage of looking for work to the stage of working.

STEAMER LILY STARTS FOR SOUTH

GOVERNMENT LIGHTHOUSE TENDER BEGINS SEASON

HAS HER NEW SIGNAL LIGHTS

Will Be in Active Service Until December When It Will Return to Paducah for Winter

The United States government light house boat Lily is now on its way down the river from St. Paul completing its first round trip of the season of 1907.

The work of preparing the river for navigation by rearranging the lights and signboards to suit the ever-changing channel of the river already has been completed from Cairo, Ill., to Red Wing, Minn., and this work will be completed from St. Paul to that point on this trip down the river.

The Lily is the government light-house boat for the Fifteenth district, which comprises the Mississippi river from Cairo to St. Paul, the Missouri river from St. Louis to Kansas City, and the Illinois river from its mouth to La Salle, Ill. For about nine months in the year the Lily patrols this territory making soundings to note changes in the channels and changing the location of the lights, day marks and barrel buoys for the guidance of the pilots of river craft. That this involves some work will be evident when it is known that on the Mississippi river from Cairo to St. Paul there are 500 lights, 172 day marks and seventy-two barrel buoys.

The lights and day marks are familiar sights to every one used to travel on the river. The lights are set up on heavy framework well braced, and reached by a stairway consisting of nine or ten steps. They are all painted white and the color is not allowed to become rusty, so that, because of their size, the frames upon which the lights are placed are very prominent marks in the day time. The day marks consist of large diamond-shaped boards, also painted white. They are attached to trees, and below them, reaching to the ground, are nailed two wide boards, at right angles to each other, so as to present one face up and the other down stream. These are also painted white.

The barrel buoys which are placed at the ends of wing dams also are painted white.

The lights and day marks are placed on either side of the river to show the winding course of the channel, and by steering his boat from one light to another the pilot is enabled to avoid the sandbars and other obstructions which make river navigation so difficult, especially in low water. One of the duties of the crew of the Lily on this first trip is to re-paint all of these guides. In addition, soundings are continually taken to learn the changes in the river bottom and to discover the best channel.

When changes in the channel are noted, which is a very frequent occurrence, the locations of the lights and day marks are changed to conform to the altered conditions. This involves considerable work especially when the lights must be moved. They are heavy and cumbersome, and after they have been re-located all trees and underbrush must be cleared away for a distance of sixty feet on each side of the light so as to give an unobstructed view of it for a considerable distance up and down stream. On this first trip the crew of the Lily is putting in a number of new barrel buoys.

The Lily left winter quarters at Paducah, Ky., March 15, and began its first trip up the river on April 1. Owing to the generally stormy weather which prevailed on the trip, the work was greatly delayed. The high water also tended to delay the work, as the men frequently had to do their work on the lights and day marks while in their boats.

After working as far north as Red Wing, Captain Eagon took the Lily straight to St. Paul to meet Commander Van Deuzer of the United States navy, who will have charge of the lighthouse service in this district for the next two years. He succeeds Commander W. B. Caperton, who is now at Fortress Monroe, Va., waiting for the equipment of the new cruiser Denver, which he will command on a trip to China. Commander Caperton has been in charge of the work in this district for the last two years.

Uncle Sam has a habit of allowing his naval commanders an opportunity of renewing their acquaintance with their families every few years by giving them a couple of years' shore duty, such as having charge of the lighthouse service of a district. Commander Caperton has had two years of shore duty and now is booked for a tour of the Orient which probably will take two years. Commander Van Deuzer has just had a turn at sea duty.

The Lily, after working down to Red Wing, will go straight to St. Louis and will then probably make a trip up the Missouri or Illinois river. Some time in July or August the Lily will again reach St. Paul on its second trip of the year up the Mississippi, correcting the river guides to suit the new changes in the river bed.

Captain W. C. Eagon of St. Louis, in charge of the Lily, has had an opportunity of becoming familiar with the Mississippi river bed, as he has been doing this work for over twenty years, having been appointed on March 18, 1887. He was then an old hand at the business, having spent most of his life on the river and having been captain of ratters prior to entering the government service. He reports the river unusually high for this time of the year, the rise generally coming in June after the spring rains.

The Lily will be in active service until December 20, when it will go into winter quarters at Paducah, Ky., to stay until about March 15 following. The boat is absolutely safe from ice there, as the Tennessee river never freezes over, which is not always the case at St. Louis which was formerly the winter quarters.

SKIN TORTURES AFFLICT CHILDREN

Obstinate Case of Eczema Covered Little Girl's Limbs with Running Sores—Poison Oak Made Boy's Hands and Arms a Mass of Torturing Sores—Sufferers Soon Relieved and Completely Cured—Grateful Mother Says:

"CUTICURA REMEDIES A HOUSEHOLD STANDBY"

"Last year, after having my little girl treated by a very prominent physician for an obstinate case of eczema, I resorted to the Cuticura Remedies, and was so well pleased with the almost instantaneous relief afforded that we discarded the physician's prescription and relied entirely on the Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills. When we commenced with the Cuticura Remedies her feet and limbs were covered with running sores. In about six weeks we had her completely well, and there has been no recurrence of the trouble.

"In July of this year a little boy in our family poisoned his hands and arms with poison oak, and in twenty-four hours his hands and arms were a mass of torturing sores. We used only the Cuticura Remedies, washing his hands and arms with the Cuticura Soap, and anointing them with the Cuticura Ointment, and then gave him the Cuticura Resolvent. In about three weeks his hands and arms healed up. So we have lots of cause for feeling grateful for the Cuticura Remedies. We find that the Cuticura Remedies are a valuable household standby, living as we do twelve miles from a doctor. Mrs. Lizzie Vincent, Thomas, Fairmount, Walden's Ridge, Tenn., Oct. 13, 1905."

LET MOTHERS KNOW

That a warm bath with Cuticura Soap and a single anointing with Cuticura, the great Skin Cure, and purest and sweetest of emollients, will afford instant relief and refreshing sleep for skin-tortured babies, and a rest for tired and worn-out mothers.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Sores, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), or in the form of Chocolate Cuticura Pills, 25c. per box of 20 to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

Get Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Humors.

BIJOU FAMILY THEATRE

..Advanced Vaudeville..

THIS WEEK

A great gathering of star acts. Will be the talk of La Crosse.

Program headed by the big Eastern Feature Act

THREE KELTONS

The cleverest high class musical act ever appearing in vaudeville in La Crosse. They command an enormous salary.

Robinson and Grant

The two smallest comedians in the world, and the funniest. They are lilliputians and no larger than Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thumb. Bring the children to see them.

Evans and Evans

They are champions in the dancing line and holders of the two-men world championship medals donated by the management of the Madison Square Garden, N. Y., in 1904. Won by Evans and Evans against 28 two-men teams.

John Walsh

Late star, Denman Thompson's "Sunshine of Paradise Alley" Co., presents

"THE MAN WITH THE BOD"

Illustrated song, "If the Man in the Moon was a Coon."

MOVING PICTURES

Entitled: "The Girl From the Golden West"

Exciting Thrilling Interesting

Ladies' Popular Matinees Every Day at 3 O'Clock. Admission 10 Cents. Two Performances every night at 7:45 and 9 O'Clock. Admission 10 Cents. Reserved Opera Chairs 15 Cents. Come early and be assured of a good seat.

..Advanced Vaudeville..

My Best Friend

Alexander Benton, who lives on Rural Route 1, Fort Edward, N. Y., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is my best earthly friend. It cured me of asthma six years ago. It has also performed a wonderful cure of incipient consumption for my son's wife. The first bottle ended the terrible cough, and this accomplished, the other symptoms left one by one, until she was perfectly well. Dr. King's New Discovery's power over coughs and colds is simply marvelous." No other remedy has ever equaled it. Fully guaranteed by O. T. Erhart, druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

BOOST THE Y. M. C. A.

BUSINESS AND
RELIGION

This is a day of co-operation, and good "mixers" usually make good citizens.

Some men never mix, and join nothing, fearful that someone is trying to "do" them. They even remain bachelors all their life, or wish they had.

Everybody chip in what you can.

Every tick of the Y. M. C. A. clock helps to build a home for the boys.

JOHN C. BURNS

BOARD HEARS PLAN FOR CITY MARKET

MERCHANTS' COMMITTEE WILL
LOOK INTO SCHEME

WILL BRING MUCH CASH HERE

Board Also Discusses Advertising at
Length and Will Raise Funds
to Carry on Campaign

Board of trade at its regular meeting last night heard a communication from Mr. Andrew Boyd of the Langdon-Boyd Packing company suggesting that body take hold of a project to establish in La Crosse a city market and stockyards. The communication was received with marked interest, and after a discussion was referred to the merchants' committee of which Mr. Boyd is chairman for further investigation, and to be reported upon at the next regular meeting of the board.

Mr. Boyd showed the need and the benefit that could be derived by the city if stock yards were to be built. He said farmers within a radius of twenty miles would bring their cattle and produce to La Crosse and most of the money paid them would be put into circulation here in La Crosse instead of the smaller towns in the vicinity where it is now being sent.

The communication is as follows: "Judge R. S. Reid, Secretary of the Crosse Board of Trade: I wish to submit to the La Crosse board of trade, an idea which I think will be of a greater benefit to the city and also to every merchant, hotel, restaurant and all other business interests than a great many things offered for 'A Bigger La Crosse' in years, and that is a stock yard and market place.

"This would supply a long felt want of our city, i. e. a place where farmers could find a ready market for all produce which they wish to sell, and also where all buyers would congregate and therefore competition would be created which would eventually draw to La Crosse the trade of the farming community for a radius of twenty miles around.

"Speaking of our company, I think that we could handle all the stock which would come to La Crosse at prices which would induce farmers to deliver here instead of at small stations outside of our city, if a market place and stock yards were located here, and also there would be competition between ourselves and other meat dealers for the purchase of livestock which comes to these yards, thereby including farmers and livestock dealers to bring their goods to a place where there is a competitive demand for what they have to sell.

"The benefits of this can be computed in no small sum, as we are compelled to buy thousands of dollars' worth of stock at outside points with money which might just as well be distributed among our local merchants.

"This will also apply to all other buyers of grain, hay, vegetables, eggs, butter, poultry and all other farm produce.

"As our company pays hundreds of thousands of dollars yearly for livestock and as that is only part of the farm products which are sold in the surrounding territory, you can readily see what an enormous benefit this would be to La Crosse, in general, and to every merchant and business man in the city.

"I would be pleased to take this matter up with a committee and would also like to have other buyers of farm products express their views on the matter.

"Hoping you will give this your consideration, and present the same to your honorable body, I remain, Yours truly, ANDREW BOYD."

To Boom the City

To do everything possible to secure new manufacturing establishments for La Crosse, to enliven both the

home and the foreign trade and to advertise the city from coast to coast was the keynote of the sentiment expressed by nearly every member at the meeting of the board last evening.

Addresses were made by several experts on newspaper and magazine advertising and in each instance the speakers were emphatic in their endorsement of this method.

Advertising Expert Talks
Mr. Otto J. Koeh of the Koeh Advertising agency of Milwaukee was requested to make an address on the subject and spoke for some time on the power of advertising. He dwelt chiefly on the good to be derived from advertising in both local and foreign magazines and newspapers.

His address was followed by a short talk by George Bonnel, industrial agent for the Chicago & Northwestern. Mr. Bonnel is from Chicago.

Mr. Ronnel says that an advertising department is kept in every railroad of any importance for the purpose of looking after the welfare of the territory served by the road and to do all in its power to increase the industrial growth of all places along the lines. He told how reports are received by this department from every concern in the country which is considering changing its location and how it is part of their duties to look for a suitable site. Circular letters are issued by them to the heads of the different organizations in the city telling what plants are looking for locations. He made it clear to the members of the board present how the prosperity of a railroad in a great measure depended upon the prosperity of the cities. He was also greatly in favor of the plan to advertise the city, claiming it to be both practical and beneficial.

After Mr. Bonnel's address Mr. Harry Long of the Grand Brewing company asked for suggestions as to how funds to carry out this advertising scheme could be raised.

Should Spend \$50,000
Mr. Van Auker said that at least \$50,000 ought to be expended in advertising and thought that about the only way to raise the money was by popular subscription. He also suggested that the council appropriate money to be spent in this way.

At this point Mr. William Doerflinger said it wasn't so much the amount of space that was to be covered as to what was put in this space.

A resolution in favor of the council voting the bonds for the new auditorium was suggested by C. S. Van Auker.

Want Big Meeting
Every attempt is to be made by the board to get all of the members out to the next meeting and try and be able to come to a head on the advertising as well as several other schemes.

LINHART CASE NEXT

TRIAL OF MAN ACCUSED OF
MURDER FOLLOWS PRESENT
HEYERDAHL TRIAL

A. Linhart, accused of the murder of Hjalmer Johnson, will be tried in circuit court at the close of the present Heyerdahl case, probably on Friday.

Johnson was shot in a drunken orgie at the home of W. Brodzig in the southern part of the city several months ago. Linhart claims that the shot was accidental and that he had no intention of firing but merely wished to intimidate the crowd with the weapon.

An ante mortem statement by Johnson will be introduced to the effect that his assailant was Linhart and he knew of no reason for the act. The case will probably not come up until Friday. C. L. Hood will appear for Linhart.

TWO DELEGATES ARE ELECTED

H. Forseth and Theodore Dahl Will
Represent La Crosse Saengerkor
at Minneapolis Convention

The regular meeting of the Normanna Saengerkor was held last evening at their headquarters in Froh-sinn hall.

The principal business of the meeting was the election of delegates to attend the annual convention which is to be held in Minneapolis the first of June. Halfdan Forseth and Theodore Dahl were chosen to represent the La Crosse society.

The marchioness of Headfast, formerly Miss Rosie Boote of the London Gaiety theater, is becoming one of the most popular actresses in England.

A woman's idea of being a good Christian is to have you drop your coin in the collection plate so it will rattle as if it were several.

ANY WEAK
PERSON
Can gain strength on
Grape-Nuts
FOOD
"There's a Reason"

REV. HOAG WILL ATTEND CONVENTION

LEAVES IN MORNING TO JOIN
MANY BAPTISTS AT CHICAGO

TO CONVENE AT WASHINGTON

Will Form a Permanent Organization
of Northern Baptists. Will Stop
at Jamestown on Return.

Rev. John Wellington Hoag, pastor of the First Baptist church of La Crosse, will leave in the morning for Chicago, where he will join a train load of Baptists from over the country bound for the coming gathering of their denomination in Washington. The party will, on the return, stop at the Jamestown exposition.

More interest is shown by the Baptists in the gathering at Washington next week than in any other similar assemblage, and it is likely to become a historic event for the denomination in America. Unlike the majority of religious denominations the Baptists have no central organization, no general council, conference or synod which has the supreme authority on questions of creed and discipline and general supervision over missions and educational institutions. Experience has taught the members that a central organization is to some extent desirable and the great object of the meeting will be to form a Northern Baptist convention.

Why there is no general national body among the Baptists is well known to those familiar with the history of the church. The abuse of authority in past centuries and the persecutions visited upon the early members of the faith produced a decided antipathy to authority in religious matters. If an annual national convention is established its authority at first will be limited and it is certain that it will not be granted any legislative or judicial authority on questions affecting creed or the individual congregation.

The general work of northern Baptists is carried on by the American Baptist Home Mission society, the American Baptist Missionary union, the American Baptist Publication society and the American Baptist Educational society. These organizations are all national, or rather international in scope and usually hold their annual meetings at the same time and place. All church organizations contributing to the support of the work carried on by them is entitled to a delegate to the annual sessions and it is these delegates, which naturally include the most influential and best known members of the church, who will try to organize the convention. In the opinion of the local clergy and laity the time is ripe for such an organization.

The Washington meetings will begin next Monday and will be in daily session from May 13 to May 20 inclusive. The convention day will be Thursday, May 16. While the Northern Baptists are meeting in Washington, the Southern Baptists will hold a like gathering at Richmond. On May 22 and 23 both branches will have a big reunion at Jamestown, at which the chief topic for discussion will be the centralization of the general church activities.

STREETS FINISHED

MAIN STREET MACADAM READY,
AND CONTRACTS WILL
BE AWARDED

Yesterday afternoon the improvement on Main street from Eighth to Eleventh street, and the improvement on Caledonia street, was completed by the contractors. The rock for this work was given to the city by the La Crosse Street Railway company, 658 yards on Main street and 136 yards on Caledonia street. Both thoroughfares are now in the best of condition.

Will Let Contracts
Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the board of public works office, the contract for the improvement of the east approach of the wagon bridge will be let. The approach will be constructed of concrete.

Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock the board will let the contract for the improvement of Market street, one of the largest jobs of paving to be done in the city this year. The successful contractor will commence at once on the work.

A girl isn't necessarily breezy because she puts on a lot of airs.

Some men are not home enough to get homesick.

If it were not for the little potatoes in the bottom of the barrel, many of the big ones would have been overlooked.

ARE you all run down? Are you nervous and unfit for work? Does your headache and do your eyes pain you?

These are a few symptoms of eye troubles and the kind of troubles we are relieving and curing every day by prescribing the proper glasses. Do not think all glasses are alike, there is a great difference, the wrong ones will do as much harm as the correct ones will do good. I make careful and accurate examinations to guard against mistakes.

Moderate prices and only the best glasses furnished.

W. T. IRVINE, Optician
Graduate III. College of Optics,
Class 1898.

CITY NEWS

YEOMEN DANCE—Thursday, May 9, Woodman hall. Tickets 50 cents.

WINONA STREET FAIR—The directors of the Winona Fair association have decided to hold another big street fair this year during the week of September 9 to 14.

CHANGE NAME—The Felten Baseball club of Winona, which frequently plays team from La Crosse, has changed its name to the Indian Athletic club.

ANTI-TREAT CLUBS—Temperance workers throughout Minnesota have adopted a plan of organizing anti-treat clubs for the purpose of discouraging treating among drinking men. They think they have solved the problem of drunkenness, if the plan can be pushed through.

MARRIAGE LICENSE—August J. Weigel and Ignor L. Johnson of La Crosse were given a marriage license in Winona yesterday.

ELKS LAST DANCE—The last of the Friday night informal dancing parties of the season, which have been a source of popular enjoyment for the La Crosse lodge of Elks, will be given at the hall Friday evening of this week. There will be music in the parlors from 8 to 9 o'clock and dancing from 9 o'clock until midnight.

TO MAKE REPAIRS—The ground and buildings committee of the common council is in meeting this afternoon with the board of education. A trip is being made over the old high school to see what repairs are needed.

GRADUATE OF ARMOUR—R. C. Martin, the new electrical inspector of the city, is a graduate of the Armour institute of Chicago, one of the best institutions for engineering in the country. He is thoroughly experienced from long practice and well qualified for the position.

OFFICIALS TO ATTEND—Practically every city official at the city hall will attend the opening ball game of the 1907 season, to be played at League park tomorrow afternoon. The officials will likely attend in a body as they are expected to participate in the parade.

WORK BY JERKS—After leaving the matter of opening Madison court for almost a year since the street was officially opened by the council, and damages were assessed against the property owners in that vicinity, the board of public works yesterday caused the trees to be removed from the new street. Work has again ceased there today, but the grading will be done some time this summer.

CHURCH SOCIETY—Mrs. J. W. Johnson, 514 South Fourteenth street, entertained the Ladies' Guild of the First Congregational church this afternoon.

RUMMAGE SALE—The ladies of the West Avenue Methodist church held a very successful rummage sale yesterday afternoon.

MEN'S SUPPER—The Men's league of the First Methodist church will have a supper at the social hall, in connection with the church this evening at 6:30.

BUYS SADDLE HORSE—A Kentucky saddle horse was purchased by Andrew Boyd of the city. Mr. Boyd purchased another horse from the same parties a short time ago.

BUYS COLT—Frank Shadbolt of Caledonia is the possessor of a fine bay colt by his name John M. and sired by the President of this city.

TAXES NOT PAID—Up to date about 150 dog taxes have been paid. This is exceedingly small considering the number of dogs to be paid. If all taxes are not paid by the 15th of this month the dogs will be promptly shot and the owners prosecuted according to the city ordinance.

CONFERENCE TONIGHT—After the usual prayer meeting tonight the Third quarterly conference of the Caledonia Street M. E. church will be held. Reviewing the business of the quarter and discussing future plans will be the order.

TO CONSIDER BILL—A meeting of the printing committee of the common council has been called for Thursday evening at 8 o'clock to be held in the small council chamber at the city hall. The committee will consider a bill.

FUNERAL FRIDAY—The funeral of Theodore Luedtke, well known painter who passed away at his home, 1709 Badger street, yesterday afternoon, will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Gamm officiating and Frank Tillman & Co. in charge. Interment will be made at Oak Grove cemetery.

OPERATION TODAY—Mrs. M. Beegan of Mound Prairie, who was formerly Miss Lillie Morris of this city, was successfully operated on at the St. Francis hospital today.

BAND CONCERT—The Uncle Tom's Cabin company that plays at the theater tonight gave a band concert on Fourth and Main street today.

HEARING POSTPONED

CASE AGAINST PEDDLER IS PUT
OFF BY JUDGE HUNT
TODAY

The hearing of Alec Monsoor, the Syrian peddler arrested for distributing his wares, was continued in Judge Hunt's court this morning for one week. The case against the other peddler, Mike Abraham, is set for tomorrow in Judge Hunt's court.

Both of these banana and orange vendors are now doing business, and are seeking to vend in the same spot. When Monsoor left the city some time ago he turned over his trade to Abraham. On returning to the city he endeavored to get Abraham to give him his trade back. Not succeeding in this he is working on the same corner with his competitor, their carts being within a few feet of each other.

A Russian naval officer makes the statement that the American shipyards can turn out in two years as many ships as the European yards can in five.

There are \$1,000,000 horses in London.

DAHLGREN BREAKS TWO MORE RECORDS

THROWS TWELVE-POUND HAMMER 182 FEET

HURLS DISCUS 105 FT. 7 IN.

Plans Are Progressing at High School
for Interclass Meet at the Fair
Grounds on Saturday

Both the hammer and the discus records for the La Crosse high school were broken yesterday afternoon at the fair grounds by Arthur Dahlgren, one of the members of the track team. He tossed the twelve-pound hammer 182 feet and the Greek discus 105 feet and seven inches.

The discus record was held up to this time by Henry Sprague who graduated about a year ago and is now a member of the freshman track team at the University of Wisconsin. Dahlgren set a record for the hammer throw a couple of days ago when he threw it 115 feet. It is expected that he will beat this latter record.

Dahlgren will compete for the La Crosse high school in the interscholastic meet to be held at Madison the latter part of this month. A toss of 122 feet won the hammer throw event in the meet last year.

Interclass Meet
Saturday afternoon at the fair grounds the interclass meet will be held, the juniors and sophomores against the freshmen and seniors. This event will tend to try out the athletes who are working for the track team and give an idea as to their relative worth. The senior team is led by Arthur Dahlgren, so the class is practically sure of first place in two events as no one is throwing the discus or hammer with Dahlgren. The juniors and sophomores look forward to strength in the sprints and distance runs.

OFFICIAL MAY COME

TSCHARNER INVITES FIRST ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL TO VISIT CITY

First Assistant Postmaster General F. H. Hitchcock expects to leave Washington some time in the near future and visit the postoffices in the principal cities of the middle west.

Accordial invitation has been extended by Postmaster Tscharnier for him to include La Crosse in the list of cities he will visit.

It is expected that he will accept the invitation although the exact date he will be here is not known.

CONDITION REMAINS THE SAME

Mrs. Elizabeth Miller Still Unconscious From Paralytic Stroke.

The condition of Mrs. Elizabeth Miller of 511 King street, wife of Mr. Hub Miller, remains the same today. She is still unconscious from the paralytic stroke she received Monday afternoon. The doctors have given up hope of her recovery, but state that there is a very small chance of her recovering consciousness.

10%
INTEREST
ALLOWED

If your banker allowed you 10 per cent interest on your deposits you would consider it a big thing. We do better than that. 20 per cent and sometimes 30 per cent is the amount we allow our customers, by saving them that difference, between our prices and what you pay at other stores. We are enabled to save our customers 20 per cent to 30 per cent because we use more goods, are doing both a wholesale and retail business and cut out the middle man's profit. Compare these prices:

Carmen Bracelets, signet tops, \$6.00, our price... \$3.50
F. & B. Bracelets, \$8.00, our price... \$5.00

Neck Chains, 22 inches, gold filled, \$3.50, our price... \$1.75
Neck chains, 18 inches, gold filled, \$2.75, our price... \$1.50

Locketts for 2 pictures, gold filled, \$3, our price... \$1.75
Vest Chains for men, gold filled, \$2.75, our price... \$1.50

Long Watch Chains for ladies, gold filled, 48 inches long, \$5.50, our price... \$3.00
Gold Fobs for men, \$5.00, our price... \$2.75

Gold Fobs for men with seal, \$6.50, our price... \$4.00
Gold Fobs for ladies, \$5.50, our price... \$3.00

Elgin or Waltham Watches, 0 size for ladies, 25 year gold cases, \$27.00, our price... \$15.00
Waltham or Hampden Watches, 0 size for ladies, 20 year gold cases, \$20, our price... \$12.50

Waltham or Hampden Watches, 16 size thin, hunting 25 year gold cases, \$24.00, our price... \$15.00

These are a few of the prices taken from our regular goods in stock and the difference in price is the actual amounts charged by other dealers. Visit our store and convince yourself of the real saving by trading here.

IRVINE'S
La Crosse's Greatest Jewelry Store

PERSONALS

C. H. Williams of Saginaw, Mich., is the guest of friends.

W. A. Roberts of Neenah is transacting business in La Crosse today.

W. J. Cruise of Galesville is in the city.

Safety Razors, "Gelette," at Hell-fach.

F. E. Botter of Iowa City is spending a few days with friends in La Crosse.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. "Loving is a painful thrill. Not to love more painful still. But ah! it is the worst of pain. To love and not be loved, gain." (When you feel that way, better take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea) Ask your druggist.

Mrs. E. E. Frazer left this morning for Minneapolis where she will accompany a guest to La Crosse.

E. C. Higbee is in Isinours, Minn., on business for a few days.

O. M. Vik is transacting business in Milwaukee.

Miss Grace R. Rilberg has returned to her home in Eau Claire after visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Press Dispatch: Four sons at once, St. Paul, Oct. 5th, 1906. A special from Mondovi says, "Mrs. Jno. Silver-son gave birth to four boys." She's evidently a great friend of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

W. L. Colburn left yesterday for Waukegan to attend the funeral of his father who had attained the age of ninety-eight years.

Miss Martha Lighthbody left last night for Bigelow, Kansas, where she will attend the wedding of her brother.

500 Fountain Pens, 14k, 69c at Hellfach, Jeweler.

Joseph Johnson has returned to La Crosse after visiting his parents in Sparta. He has accepted a position as clerk at the Cameron house.

W. Setz has returned to his home in Janesville after visiting friends in the city.

E. C. Tornam of Stevenston is visiting friends and old acquaintances in La Crosse for a few days.

Prof. H. N. Dibbell of Hokah is in the city today.

Richard Grover has returned to his home in Galesville after transacting business in the city.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

R. D. Sandman has returned to his home in Halmen.

August Maloney of Spring Valley is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Constipation steals the iron which should be absorbed away from the bowels, spoils your blood and complexion, causes anemias and disease. Regulate your bowels with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea and keep well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

F. T. Reed of Ostrander, Wis., is the guest of friends in the city.

D. Gulenheim of Diamond Bluff has returned home.

Elmer Berg of Holmen was a business caller in the city yesterday.

G. W. Uyornne has returned to his home in Decorah, Ia., after transacting business in La Crosse.

R. V. Bultes of Eau Claire is visiting friends and old acquaintances in the city.

Frank Fisch of New Albin was a business caller in the city yesterday.

H. L. Wethelsson of Cincinnati is the guest of friends in La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mehren left last night for Madison, S. D., where they will be the guests of friends for a few weeks.

Some Jeweler "call" themselves Jobbers. There are no jewelry jobbers in La Crosse. Buy your goods from Hellfach, Jeweler. We don't misrepresent goods or give you hot air. Our goods are best quality at lowest prices. We repair watches.

Judge Brindley and Attorney E. C. Higbee left this morning for Madison where they will help boost the river commission bill.

T. C. Merry of Decatur, Ia., is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Miss Fanny T. Rule has returned to her home in Highland, Wis., after visiting friends in the city.

Wm. Thiritha has returned to his home in Bangor.

If you want a carriage get the Gateway City Tfr. Line, phone 179.

C. M. Parker of Dubuque was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Grace Jones of Bangor is visiting friends in the city.

C. S. Pierce of Grand Rapids has been visiting friends in the city for the past few days.

John Gear of Holland, Wis., is in La Crosse.

Earl Weingel of Bangor is in La Crosse today.

Pianos for sale, tuned and rented. E. Ruhoff, S. 7th St. Both phones.

E. L. Imunnell of Blair is transacting business in the city today.

Con B. Brong of Madison is the guest of friends.

R. C. Pillalips of Warfield, Wis., is visiting friends in the city today.

Charles Lewiston of Madison has returned home after transacting business in La Crosse.

Miss Lue Morrow of Bangor is the guest of friends in the city.

A. N. Schroeder of Winona was a business caller in the city yesterday.

G. M. Kerndt has returned to his home in Lansing, Ia., after transacting business in the city.

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GERMAN PLAY A PLEASING EVENT

ALT HEIDELBERG PLAYS TO PACKED HOUSE.

GERMAN PLAYERS ARE GOOD

Pabst Theater Company Last Night Delighted Immense Audience With Fatherland Story.

"Alt Heidelberg," a play in five acts by W. M. Foerster, was given at the theatre last evening. The German artists of the Pabst theatre of Milwaukee presented the charming play from first to last in a truly masterly manner. There was the jolly humor of the attendants of the Heidelberg university, the gay spirit of the German students life, depicted with genuine enthusiasm. It would require a column to give due credit to all the participating players for they were all well fitted for their respective parts and the acting was all that could be desired. It was perhaps the best performance which the excellent Milwaukee company has ever presented in this city. Especially commendable was the distinct enunciation of the players.

Curt Stark as Erlprinz Karl Heinrich and Miss Gertrude Senger as Kaethe, the charming hotel waitress, presented the leading roles of the play with an artistic finish and emotional swing that was altogether delightful and particularly the last parting scene, between the prince and his college love was acted in a manner worthy of the highest praise. Hermann Meltzer, as the prince's chamber valet, was a most interesting and entertaining figure. After thanking the Milwaukee players for the genuine treat they gave to a large audience there is but one German word which will cover the universal sentiment of that audience and that word is, Wieder Kommen!

Kreutz's orchestra furnished appropriate music between the acts and the audience appreciated the good work of the musicians.

SPOTLIGHTS

Return of the old favorite, Al W. Martin's biggest, newest and latest revival of Uncle Tom's Cabin will be seen at the La Crosse theatre again tonight. From all reports Mr. Martin has greatly improved the play this season and it will live forever under his management. The piece he has re-written; the scenery is all new; the electrical effects are the grandest ever seen in this play. The company is composed of fifty people, all white. No street parade is given to tire out the people so they can't give a good performance.

Musical Hit Coming
The coming of the Skovgaard concert company to the La Crosse theatre Friday evening will be the event of the year in musical circles. It was this Skovgaard concert company that highly pleased music lovers in La Crosse a year ago last January. Skovgaard, the great violinist, is one of the greatest musicians of the day and his concert company is received with favor wherever they appear. The Chicago Record-Herald says:

"Skovgaard, a priceless Stradivarius and a concert company of excellent musical talent scored a notable triumph at the Chicago auditorium last evening. It was a performance remarkable for the general excellence of every number of the program. Once in a while there are concerts that the average person can enjoy and this was one of them, but at the same time it appealed with even greater power to those whose musical education enabled them to comprehend the beauty of the harmony and delicacy of the tone shading so admirably brought out by the great violinist and his able assistants."

"It was an enthusiastic audience that greeted the noted Danish violinist when he appeared on the platform with his famous 'Strad' for which it is said he paid \$13,000. A violin at that price is well worth the money when one can play it like Skovgaard did last night. A man of commanding presence, genial temperament, confident of his own power and the resources of his unsurpassed instrument, Skovgaard carries his audience through the various moods and fancies of his playing without the least difficulty. Thoroughly self possessed, like the finished artist that he is, there was that in his personality and manner which impresses one with the perfection of his work. This was apparent in the

SKOVGAARD



Claimed to Rival Ole Bull as a Violinist.

WANTS STATES DRESSED UP

St. Louis Attorney Object to the Nude Art at a Museum.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 8.—City Attorney Anderson has thrown himself into the breach as the Anthony Comstock of St. Louis. He announces his intention to make an effort to protect residents of this city from possible moral contagion.

"The ordinance under which various proprietors of penny-in-the-slot machines have recently been fined for displaying improper pictures," said Mr. Anderson, "makes no discriminations, and it is no more right for improper statues and other representations to be displayed in the art museums than in places downtown."

"I looked over the pictures, and they appeared to be all right. But those statues are awful. They need clothing."

"Those statues have been on exhibition in St. Louis for thirty years," said Halsey C. Ives, director of the art museum, "and during that time they have not brought a blush to the cheek of any woman who has seen them, so far as I know."

"Just now the collection is being transferred from the old museum to the new building, and it is possible that a few fig leaves have been broken off."

"I shall not buy any pants or skirts for the statues until ordered to do so by the court."

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SAYS LA CROSSE WILL RAISE THE NEEDED FUNDS

IT IS A WORTHY INSTITUTION

And Opinions of Prominent Men Are That This City Will Take Her Place Among Progressives

"Are we going to raise the \$100,000 for the new Y. M. C. A. building?" was the question put to Judge Fruit today. "I say, 'yes,'" he replied, and continuing, "The citizens of La Crosse are to public spirited to suffer this important enterprise to fall to the ground. We read every day of the push and energy other cities are putting forth to build first class buildings for their young men and boys, and are successful."

"With the most generous subscription made by Mr. W. W. Cargill as a nucleus, no one would dare prophesy a failure in raising the necessary funds. I believe if some of our canvassers could spend some little time in the villages of La Crosse county, and in the country precincts, \$2,000 or more could be raised from our neighbors. Many of our people throughout the country have lived in a quarter of a century and have witnessed the growth and prosperity of our city. They and their families come here to trade, and visit La Crosse to participate in and enjoy public entertainments of different kinds each year. The year proud of the progress of our city and can be made enthusiastic in helping to erect a Y. M. C. A. building of which many will be glad to share in its advantages."

"Let us take hold in a friendly way to enlist their support and I am convinced that many of the leading business men and farmers near La Crosse will be glad to have an investment of fifty dollars or more each in such building as La Crosse needs, and of which, when finished, all will be proud."

"Let every one do all he can to aid La Crosse in this enterprise, and thereby not only enhance his own belongings, but above all help to make better men. The undertaking to build a \$100,000 Y. M. C. A. building will succeed. Let the good work of swelling the necessary funds have liberal support till such sum is raised."

B. F. Keeler:—
"Will the money be raised? No doubt about it at all. Even with some of the discouraging elements that creep into the proposition, where men who are abundantly able to give, and refuse to do so, there are plenty who are broad enough to appreciate the immense value of a great modern building, who give liberally and their words of cheer are an inspiration to the boys who are out on the 'firing line.' I am not discouraged in the least and will continue to 'smile and push,' until the amount is raised, because I know that I am right in my position, and that is what counts."

E. S. Hebbard:—
"A \$100,000 Y. M. C. A. building is a good proposition for La Crosse. I believe it will win."

A Narrow Escape
G. W. Cloyd, a merchant of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a Jimson bar into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at O. T. Erhart, druggist.

LECTURER PLEASES

MISS WEISKOTTEN ADDRESSES LARGE AUDIENCE AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH

The people who heard Miss Emilie L. Weiskotten at the English Lutheran church last evening certainly were well repaid for their attendance. Miss Weiskotten, who has spent between five and six years in India as teacher or principal of four schools in Rajahmundry, is in this country on a furlough and intends to return to her field of labor in the autumn of this year. She is a very interesting speaker and impresses her audience forcibly with her simple earnestness. Her address last evening and her talk with the ladies at the informal reception given in the church parlor yesterday afternoon was replete with interesting and edifying information concerning the land and the people of India. One of the impressive stories which she told was about a young heathen girl attending her school. One day her father came with tearful eyes and told Miss Weiskotten that his little girl was sick and not expected to live, and asked that she pray for her. She told this to the school children and asked them to pray to Jesus with her for the little Doryamaia, which they did. The result was that the little girl got well. This and many similar instances which she told about makes great impression upon the heathen minds, and aids in bringing them from darkness to the light of the gospel.

Miss Weiskotten left this morning for Plattville where she will lecture this evening. She then returns to her home in Pennsylvania via Chicago for a rest, and will leave at the end of the summer for her field of missionary work in the old world.

WOMEN PAY MORE.

Why Insurance Companies Discriminate Against the Gentle Sex.

Medical examiners of insurance companies say that the reason a woman pays more for the privilege of insurance than a man, is from the fact that women more readily fall victims to indigestion and stomach troubles and the fatal ailments that spring from these causes.

All persons, they say, who have a weakened digestive system and suffer from sick headache, dizzy spells, distress after eating, specks before the eyes, bloating, nervousness, sleeplessness, and the many other symptoms of indigestion, soon lower the tone of the whole system and are most susceptible to a fatal illness.

For curative power in all stomach troubles, nothing else is as safe yet effective, nothing else can be thoroughly relied upon to relieve all troubles from indigestion as Mi-o-na. It is unlike any remedy heretofore known and is really one of the valuable discoveries in modern medical science.

It is not the acute attacks that influence the insurance examiners alone but the constant feelings of weakness, headaches, indigestion and stomach troubles—these things, physicians say, kill more people than many more serious diseases.

To escape this condition of ill health, to enjoy one's food and yet never suffer with indigestion, a person should use Mi-o-na stomach tablets. They are not a mere digestive tablet, but strengthen and restore to natural action the stomach and bowels and effect a complete cure in even the worst form of stomach troubles.

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EXPECT INSURANCE BILLS WILL PASS

COMMITTEES WILL FINISH CONSIDERATION

WIND UP HEARINGS THIS WEEK

No Material Alterations Are Expected After Recommendations Are Made to Solons

(By F. L. Holmes.)

MADISON, Wis., May 8.—(Special)—Final hearing on the insurance bills before the legislature will be concluded this week and the committee will then report the various bills for passage. It is altogether likely that all the bills are finally recommended by the joint committee will go through both houses and be signed by the governor, who is understood to be in sympathy with their provisions. There may be minor amendments proposed, and more or less debate heard, but it is likely that any changes made will be inconsequential as the ground has been thoroughly threshed over by the actuaries of the big companies and the committee.

Ten of the twenty-four bills recommended by the legislative investigating committee have already gone through both houses. When this contest is finally over it will close one of the most remarkable legislative episodes in the history of the state. It will be the fruit of a year of investigation and study which will cost the state from \$25,000 to \$30,000. The bills already passed provide that any company which does not participate in writing participating and non-participating insurance, requiring companies discontinuing business in the state to file deposits covering the extent of the policies in force, etc.

Last week a big fight was waged between the actuaries of the large insurance companies on one hand and the insurance committee on the other, over the bills limiting the expense of companies and requiring them to put into all policies tables of estimates showing how their premiums are expended. This latter idea is not a new one to students of insurance, but if enacted, Wisconsin will be the first state to put it upon the statute books. Prof. J. W. Glover of the University of Michigan, who has been the consulting actuary of the legislative investigating committee and of the insurance department the greater part of the year, was asked by the committee to prepare such a division of expenses and to assist in formulating the desired law. The actuary and the committee took the position that policy holders are more ignorant of their life insurance business than they are of any other, and that it would be a good thing for them to know just where their money was going and what they were entitled to as their own savings. They held that a table should be inserted in every policy showing separately for each year during the possible history of the policy, three things: What the insured was required to pay each year for death claims; what for expenses and what returns the company would promise on the excess moneys deposited with it. A man could then see what kind of policy he wanted and what it would be worth each year. This publicity also would tend to make the companies less lavish in their expenses.

As a matter of fact most companies by their dark methods of doing business have usually taken generously out of what should have been credited to the savings of the policy holders. The proposition to limit the expenses of the insurance companies was most bitterly contested by the actuaries. They charged for one thing that the proposed so-called arbitrary division of the premiums; made no provision for contingencies, but Actuary Glover showed effectively that the mortality charge, now included by all of the companies was always sufficient for the protection in any emergency, and that less than 75 per cent of the funds collected from the mortality charge is used in meeting death losses as a rule.

They also said that there was no demand from policy holders for this information but as an answer to this the company presented something like a hundred letters sent out at random and all but one came replies favoring such information in policies.

In popular language the bills also aim to prevent abuses at the two ends of a policy. In most cases, the insured is over charged when he goes in and if he cancels his policy is penalized when he goes out. Thus he is caught both coming and going. The companies make the plea that when a man withdraws they have to get another to take his place. They could not explain, however, why the man going out and his successor also should be "soaked." The new bill prohibits penalizing for withdrawal and limits the charge that can be made for new business. It is left to the companies to decide whether the charge for new business shall be all placed upon the first premium or distributed among several.

A Quarrel Between Neighbors.

Magistrate—Could not this case be settled out of court?

The Big Defendant—I tried to do it, your worship, but the little beggar won't fight. London Weekly Telegraph.

The fourth crop report for the territory along the Northwestern line west of La Crosse has been issued. This report contains the unwelcome news that the early season which gave such promise a month ago, has been lost, and crops are no farther advanced than they were one year ago at this time. However, it is safe to predict that the acreage is larger than last year. The report in full follows:

"Since the last report there has been cold disagreeable weather. Rain sleet and snow were quite general over the entire territory, and but little progress has been made in seeding or growing crops. Everything in fact, being practically at a standstill. As a general proposition it is not thought that there has been any damage done to crops unless it would be to oats, where the freezing ground damaged the germ at the right stage of germination, but of course no grain above ground could be injured by snow or cold weather at this date. It is true, however, that no headway has been made during the past week and grain that is up does not look strong and healthy compared with the way it will be a little later with warm, favorable weather."

It is safe to state that practically all small grains have been seeded; the early sown wheat is above ground, but on the whole there has not been the early season first promised as the last week in March was a promising one over the entire territory, but the month of April was such that the early season has been lost and it is safe to state that at the present time we are just about at the same stage as one year ago over the entire line.

"In the vicinity of Watertown, northern part of the Sioux valley, Evan-Marshall line, the crops will be a little short, but on the whole it is safe to state that the acreage is greater than the average, just to what extent will be reported at a later date."

A rough, rude, coarse manner creates an instantaneous prejudice, closes hearts and bars doors against us.

DAILY MARKETS

WHEAT GOES A BIT LOWER TODAY

WEAK CABLES AND HEAVY N. W. RECEIPTS RESPONSIBLE

RESPONDS QUICKLY TO BUYING

Minneapolis July Closes Cent Under Yesterday's Close—Corn and Oats Are Very Light

(By F. L. Holmes.)

CHICAGO, Ill., May 8.—Wheat opened a shade lower on weaker cables, heavy northwest receipts and selling by the professional element. The market, however, held its own pretty well in spite of the continued hammering by the bears and responding quickly to buying orders, closing at a cent loss for the July option. Minneapolis July closed a cent under yesterday's close, at 87 1/2.

Corn and oats ruled firm for the entire session, the trade being very light.

Snow and cold throughout the northwest, it is feared, may result in the entire spring wheat crop being a failure. Farmers are attempting to plow with the snow falling.

Minneapolis Quotations

Open High Low Close

WHEAT

May 87 1/2 87 3/4 86 3/4 86 1/2

July 88 1/2 88 3/4 87 1/2 87 1/2

Sept. 87 3/4 88 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2

Chicago Quotations

WHEAT

May 82 1/2 82 3/4 82 1/4 82 1/4

July 85 1/2 85 3/4 84 3/4 84 3/4

Sept. 86 1/2 86 3/4 86 1/4 86 1/4

CORN

May 49 1/2 49 3/4 48 3/4 48 3/4

July 49 1/2 49 3/4 48 3/4 48 3/4

Sept. 49 1/2 49 3/4 48 3/4 48 3/4

OATS

May 44 1/2 44 3/4 44 1/4 44 1/4

July 42 1/2 42 3/4 42 1/4 42 1/4

Sept. 36 1/2 36 3/4 36 1/4 36 1/4

PORK

Sept. 16.25 16.40 16.27 16.27

LARD

Sept. 9.10 9.12 9.05 9.05

Minneapolis Cash Close

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 89 1/2 @ 90;

No. 1 northern, 88 1/2 @ 89; to arrive, 89;

No. 2 northern, 86 1/2 @ 86 3/4; No. 3 northern, 84 @ 85.

Oats—No. 3 white, 40.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 45 1/4 @ 46.

Barley—67 @ 73.

Rye—64 1/2 @ 65 1/2.

Flax—132.

Chicago Livestock

Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; left over, 2,347; prospects steady. Light, \$6.25

@ \$6.52 1/2; mixed, \$6.10 @ \$6.50;

heavy, \$6.25 @ \$6.55; rough, \$6.10 @ \$6.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; strong.

Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; strong.

VEGETABLES TO GO TO ROCK BED

SPRING DECLINE IN PRICES IS STARTED TODAY

CUCUMBERS, RHUBARB DROP

Very Reasonable Prices, Say Farmers

(By F. L. Holmes.)

The vegetable market has started on the spring decline. Cucumbers dropped 2 1/2 cents selling at 10 @ 12 1/2 cents. Rhubarb has dropped to 6 cents a pound and other articles are expected to drop in price soon.

At present the farmers in the surrounding country are busy finishing their seedling, a large quantity of oats and corn had to be replanted owing to the cold weather that prevailed when these grains were first planted.

Vegetable growers report a good vegetable market this summer and believe the prices will be exceptionally low.

(Wednesday, May 8).

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley & Co. Co.)

Creamery, pound, 28c

Renovated, pound, 24c

Roll, pound, 23 @ 25c

Dairy, pound, 24 @ 25c

Eggs, dozen, 14 @ 15c

Flour

(Prices by A. Grams & Sons.)

Patent, per barrel, \$4.60

Straight, per barrel, 4.40

Mill Feed

Shorts, per ton, \$19.00

Brans, per ton, 19.00

Grain

(Quoted by W. W. Cargill Co.)

Winter wheat, 62 to 65c

Spring wheat, 65 @ 71c

Barley, 55 to 58c

Oats, 38 @ 40c

Corn, 43 to 45c

Rye, 50 @ 55c

Livestock

(By Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs, from, \$5.90 to \$6

Steers, \$3.50 @ \$4.50

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Calumet Baking Powder costs little. Costs
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64 inch all linen cream table linen, five choice patterns, at per yard.....50c

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64 inch hotel table linen, extra heavy, good patterns, at per yard.....65c

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70 inch extra fine bleached table linen, napkins to match, at per yard.....75c

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72 inch heavy cream table damask, close heavy weave, at per yard.....89c

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72 inch bleached or cream satin table damask, at per yard.....\$1.00

NAPKINS

Bleached or cream table napkins, all sizes at per dozen.....\$1.00 to \$5.00

TOWELS

Big assortment of fringed, hemmed or hemstitched towels, each at.....5c to 50c

LUNCH AND TRAY CLOTHS

Odd lots of tray cloths, dresser scarfs and lunch cloths, each at.....19c to \$1.50

LACE CURTAINS TO BUY NOW

Even though you don't hang them till fall, it will pay you to at least look.

Poehling's

All Cars Start and Stop at this Store

DR. ANDERSON TALKS ROB WINONA MAN

WILL BE PRESENT AT MEN'S
CLUB SUPPER FRIDAY
EVENING.

Mayor W. A. Anderson will be among the speakers at the supper to be given Friday evening by the Men's club of the English Lutheran church. There will be other speakers and musical numbers including the Nelson Brothers quartette. Supper will be served at 6:30 p. m. and an interesting program is expected.

THEODORE LEUDTKE IS DEAD

Well Known Young Man Passes
Away at the Age of 36 After
Siege of Serious Illness

Theodore Leudtke, aged 36 years, 1707 Badger street, died last yesterday afternoon after a continued illness with tuberculosis. He was a member of Camp 960, Modern Woodmen and was a member also of the Governor's Guard association. He leaves, besides a widow and two children, a brother, Herman Leudtke, and three sisters, Mrs. L. P. Beckie, Mrs. H. F. Young of La Crosse, and Mrs. Herman Butzke of Ballard, Washington.

Funeral announcement will be made later.

World Wags Well

AFTER
BREAKFAST

POSTUM
FOOD COFFEE

"There's a Reason"

NORTH SIDE

MUSICAL SHOWS CREDITABLE WORK

ST. CLARA'S PUPILS RENDER
DIFFICULT SELECTIONS

RARE TALENT IS DISPLAYED

Technique and Expression of Various
Young Performers Makes the
Program Attractive

The interesting musicale given by the pupils at St. Clara's yesterday afternoon was attended by a large and appreciative audience. It was indeed a rare musical treat. The program in itself was not only well arranged, but contained selections from representative composers. Each number was rendered in so intelligent and artistic a manner as to leave nothing to be desired.

The opening number rendered by four young ladies on two pianos, was played with much spirit and reflected great credit upon the performers.

Especially deserving of mention is the chorus "Only a Dream" which seemed to bear a message to each listening individual.

A selection by Miss Hilda Brown was well received and was so heartily applauded that she was forced to appear several times.

Miss Gertrude Downey in her rendition of Mendelssohn's "Hunting Song" exhibited splendid vitality. She produced a tone of great purity and loveliness and plays with much refinement. The violin solo by Miss Leona Derhaag was given with rare poetic feeling and fully justified the expectations of the audience.

The piano solo rendered by Miss McLindon was heartily applauded. Miss McLindon's touch is almost beyond criticism and she plays with the skill and feeling that is found only in true artists.

On the whole the program reflects great credit to the performers as well as to the teachers.

CLOW LIVED HERE

ENGINEER SLAIN BY BANDITS
FORMERLY RAN ON THE
RIVER DIVISION

Frank Clow, the Northern Pacific engineer who was killed by train robbers in the holdup at Welch's Spur, Mont., was formerly an engineer on the River division of the C. M. & St. P. with headquarters in La Crosse. He left here about fifteen years ago and went west. Friends remember him as a fearless and reliable man with a disposition to protect his train as well as himself and it was this determination that cost him his life, when attacked by robbers.

PENDEL MARION RUSSELL DIES

Three-Year-Old Child of C. H. Russell Succumbs to Complication
Pendel Marion Russell, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Russell, 1728 Prospect street, died last night after an illness of two weeks, with measles and pneumonia. The remains will be interred at Ferryville, Wis., the former home of Mrs. Russell.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

L. E. Lavaque and C. P. Thompson went to Madison today on business. Mrs. Cole left this morning for Virroqua where she will visit relatives.

CATCH 103 TROUT

ALDERMAN C. FOERSTER AND
PARTY MAKE BANNER
FISHING TRIP

Alderman Carl Foerster and a party of friends have returned from a trout fishing trip in Coon Valley which will undoubtedly prove the banner trip of the season. They caught 103 trout, the largest ranging in weight from 4 1/2 to one which they say weighed 6 1/2 pounds. The smallest they say weighed 1 1/4 pounds. George Holzhammer has the largest of the catch on exhibition. In the party were Alderman Foerster, Louis Chaplinsky, Joseph Winch, John Lasserty and a friend of Alderman Foerster from Chicago.

TWO EXCURSIONS

EAGLES AND BARTENDERS TO
GIVE OPENING TRIPS
OF SEASON

Two excursions will be run out of La Crosse Sunday, June 9. The bartenders union, will give an excursion on the Mississippi to Fountain City and return on the steamer La Crosse, and the Eagles will give an excursion to Winona and return. The Eagles are negotiating for the chartering of the steamer J. S. for the trip, this being her first appearance on northern waters for the summer.

The Bartenders union No. 479 will have another meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, in Labor hall for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for the excursion.

There is in the jewel house of the tower of London a book that is bound throughout in gold, even to the wires of the hinges. Its clasps are two rubies set at opposite sides of four golden links.

There is at Winnipeg, Man., a "water-softening" plant with a capacity of 3,000,000 gallons a day.

IN THE SPRINGTIME.

This following simple prescription, which anyone can prepare at home, is said to restore the Kidneys to perfect health, forcing them to filter all poisons and acids from the blood, overcoming Rheumatism, even in its worst form.

Any good druggist can supply these ingredients: Fluid Extract of Dandelion one-half ounce, Compound Kargon one ounce, Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three ounces. Shake these well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

Your physician will tell you there is no better or safer mixture known to cleanse the blood and build it up, which everyone should do at this time of year. Readers of this paper can make no mistake by following this simple though valuable advice.

SOCIETY

COMING AND GOING.

Mrs. W. L. Hixon of Mankato, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. J. M. Hixon.

Walter McDonald of Chicago was in the city yesterday.

Miss Mary Trowbridge of Lake City is visiting friends on Mississippi street.

Mrs. A. G. Fanning and children, who have been guests of Mrs. A. F. Martin for a few days left yesterday for their home in Minneapolis.

MRS. HIXON GIVES DINNER

Mrs. J. M. Hixon entertained at a dinner of twelve covers last evening in honor of Mrs. W. L. Hixon of Mankato. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Easton, Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hixon, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lees, Mrs. W. L. Hixon and Mr. Arthur Espersen.

INFORMAL AFTERNOON TEA

Mrs. C. N. Moeller entertained about twenty friends and neighbors at an informal afternoon tea yesterday. The guests carried their work and enjoyed a genuine old fashioned visit.

ENTERTAIN AT CARDS.

Mrs. A. L. McIntosh entertained three tables at bridge yesterday. The prizes were taken by Mrs. Joyce Hogan and Mrs. C. S. Cone.

Mrs. L. A. Meason is entertaining the Wednesday Afternoon Five Hundred this afternoon.

Miss Mary Johnson entertained a dozen at cards yesterday afternoon. The prizes were taken by Mrs. Juliette Anderson of Fond du Lac and Miss Jeannett Murray.

MEN'S CLUB SUPPER.

The Men's club of the First M. E. church will meet Thursday evening in the new social hall at the church. A chicken pie supper will be served at 6:30.

A very interesting program has been arranged. Prof. Arthur P. Thomas will play two selections on the piano and Mr. J. R. Ken will sing a solo and other selections will be sung in chorus.

LOSE INVESTMENTS

WEST SALEM PEOPLE DECIDE
TO PUT NO MORE CASH
INTO SCHEME.

WEST SALEM, Wis., May 8.—(Special.)—Parties holding stock in the Roosevelt lead mines held a meeting and decided that the stock was worthless and they would not try to pay an assessment that is being made to carry on the mine and this will result in a severe loss to stockholders here.

Mrs. John Parker of New Haven, Conn., is spending the week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. D. Griswold. Mrs. Parker has been making an extended trip through the west spending a considerable length of time in California.

The Tomah high school will meet the West Salem boys in a game of

BIG CLEARANCE SALE

STARTING MAY 9th AND ENDING MAY 18th

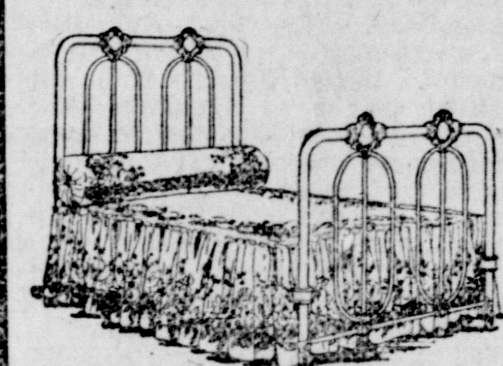
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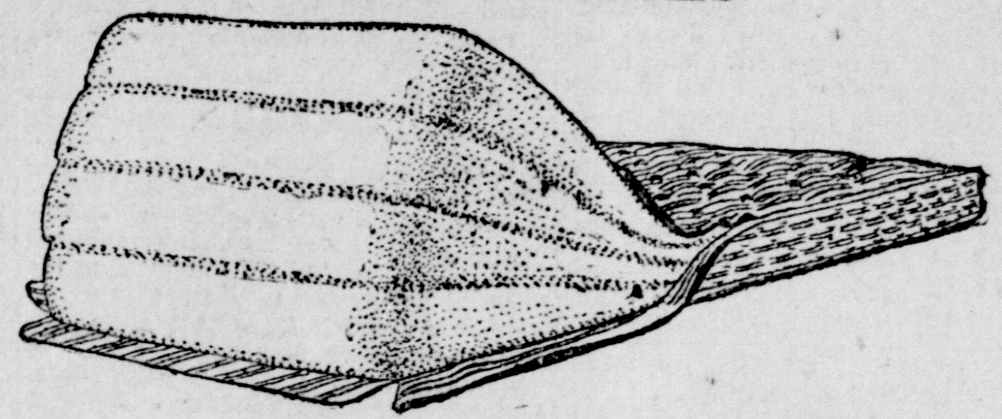
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4.00 Iron Beds.....	3.25
5.90 Iron Beds.....	4.00
6.00 Iron Beds.....	5.00
6.50 Iron Beds.....	5.25
7.00 Iron Beds.....	5.50
7.50 Iron Beds.....	6.00
8.00 Iron Beds.....	6.50
8.50 Iron Beds.....	7.00
9.00 Iron Beds.....	7.25
10.00 Iron Beds.....	8.25
11.00 Iron Beds.....	9.00
12.00 Iron Beds.....	9.75
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18.00 Iron Beds.....	15.00
20.00 Iron Beds.....	16.50
25.00 Iron Beds.....	21.00

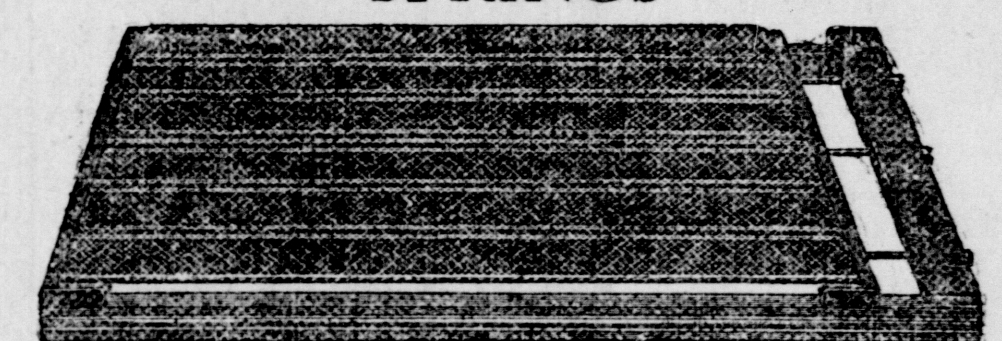
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baseball next Saturday on the local grounds.

Wm. Casterline, assessor for the town of Hamilton, has commenced his work.

Wm. Upham, agent for the C. M. & St. P. road here, is also one of the head officers of the Order of Telegraphers and in his official capacity, will make an extended trip over the line in the interest of that order.

H. D. Griswold, who is meeting with remarkable success in the line of Guernsey breeding has placed an order for two full blood heifers direct from the Guernsey islands. These animals are expected to arrive in a few days.

Corn planting is being attended to as fast as the land can be put in condition. With good seed there is nothing to fear from cool weather.

The sacred music rendered by the Choral club at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening under the direction of Rev. Fehlandt, was highly appreciated by those who had an opportunity of hearing it.

The new management of The Tribune is giving good satisfaction to the readers here and the number of subscribers is on the increase.

ONALASKA NEWS.

Arthur Walker and Winfred Rud returned home from Conrad, Mont., Sunday noon, where they have been for the past six months in the employ of C. H. Wilcox, who was formerly a resident of Onalaska.

Mrs. G. W. Brice and Miss Myrtle Brice spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at La Crosse.

Mrs. Peter Peterson, who recently underwent an operation to have her eye straightened is doing nicely and it is believed the operation will be an entire success.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Aiken, have returned home after spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. W. W. Schall and family at Seattle.

Dr. Wm. Freeman of Chatfield, Minn., was the guest of Dr. W. A. Lester, Sunday.

Mrs. F. E. Brown of Midway, has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. Milbright, during the past week.

Mr. Oren Whitbeck and son Eugene, of New Amsterdam, visited relatives here Sunday, while on their way to South Dakota, where they expect to take a homestead.

Mrs. M. M. Butties has been enter-

taining a lady friend for the past few days.

DISCUSS MEMORIAL DAY PLAN

Veterans and Ladies of William McKinley Post, G. A. R., Meet This Evening

There is to be a meeting of the William McKinley post of the G. A. R. tonight at which Memorial day plans will be taken up. The Ladies' circle of the G. A. R. will also hold a meeting tonight. Smith chapter No. 13, of the Masons, will hold their regular meeting in their quarters at the Masonic temple tonight.

JUDGE GOES TO MADISON

Brindley Boosting for Waterways Bill and Court is Inactive

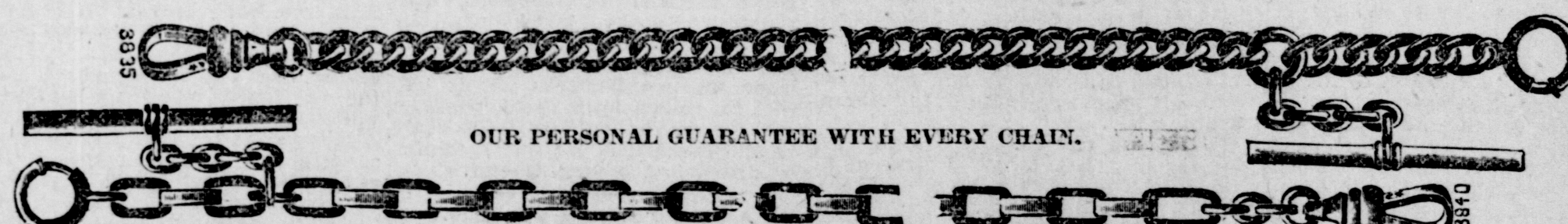
Judge John Brindley of county court spent the day at Madison where he will appear in support of the waterways bill now being argued before the senate committee on state affairs.

Owing to Mr. Brindley's absence there was no session of county court today.

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